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THE ED DODD household is rejoicing this week following the recovery last week of a wedding set of diamond rings which Mrs. Dodd had feared had gone the way of travelers.

In fact, the rings did take quite a trip—to California and back.

Several days ago, while Mr. and Mrs. Dodd were in Abilene, she went into the rest room of a service station to wash her hands. She removed the rings, valued at more than \$300, and laid them on the window sill of the rest room. When she left the room she forgot to pick up her rings.

It was not until the couple had returned to Hamlin that the rings were missed. The service station was telephoned . . . but, no, the rings had not been turned in, and they were not in the rest room, they were informed.

Several days later, the service station owner received a letter from a woman in California. She told him she had found something of value in his service station several days previously. She would gladly return the item upon its being identified. The Dodds were telephoned by the station owner, and within an hour the California woman was contacted by telephone. The rings were identified, and the finder returned them.

The California woman explained the reason she had not turned the rings in when she found them was that only a boy was on duty at the time.



READY TO HELP, BUT NO CREW—A child's fire truck (arrow) unobtrusively stands by as fire fighting crews battle a blaze that destroyed a home in Denton. Four fire trucks answered the alarm but were unable to halt the blaze before the house was destroyed.

Second Election on \$60,000 Road Bonds Set for Feb. 26

Funds for Better Highway Already Allocated Route

Voters of Road District No. 1, embracing generally the north one-third of Jones County, will go to the polls for the second time on Tuesday, February 26, to express their desires about the issuance of \$60,000 worth of tax bonds for the purpose of purchasing right-of-way for a widened Highway 92 from Hamlin to Stamford.

The election was ordered last Friday when members of the Commissioners Court of the county met in a called session to hear a petition that had been presented by Starr Inzer of Hamlin and some 150 other resident property owning taxpayers of the district.

The hearing was called to give any resident to protest against or contend for the election.



EVANGELIST for an 11-day series of revival services underway at the Church of the Nazarene that began Wednesday evening is Rev. Joe Norton (above), a resident of Hamlin, who is doing full-time evangelistic work for the denomination in the southwest. The meeting will continue through Sunday, February 10, says the pastor, Rev. Bill Hanna.

New Telephone Directories Being Distributed Here

New Hamlin telephone directories are now being mailed to subscribers here, Jim Garrett, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company manager, announced today.

"The new directory contains approximately 2,040 alphabetical listings," Garrett said.

Old directories should be thrown away as soon as the new issue is received. However, care should be taken to remove any items, items, such as photos, letters and notes, which might have been placed between the pages, the manager advised.

The Hamlin directory has a green cover and contains 12 white or alphabetical pages, and 20 yellow or classified pages. Approximately 2,200 copies of the directory have been printed.

"A number of extra copies are printed as replacements for those used in public telephone booths and other places where much use occurs," Garrett explained.

"The telephone directory," he added, "remains one of the 'best read' books in Hamlin."

You can save time by referring to it if you are not sure of a number or need assistance of any kind. The yellow pages are a convenient listing of almost every business in town, he added.

Rev. Joe Norton to Preach in 11-Day Nazarene Revival

Revival services at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene began last night (Wednesday) and will extend through Sunday, February 10, it is announced by the pastor, Rev. Bill Hanna. Rev. Joe Norton, evangelist for nine years in the Church of the Nazarene, is the guest minister. Rev. Norton entered the field of evangelism after 16 years in the pastorate. He has conducted numerous successful campaigns throughout the United States.

Odean Murphree, local choir director, is in charge of the music. Special musical arrangements and combinations are being presented by local talent. Billy Reynolds is in charge of publicity and pre-prayer services.

Each Sunday morning of the revival is being planned as a rally day. A goal of 125 in Sunday School has been set for each Sunday Saturday night, February 9, has been designated as Youth Night, at which time a special emphasis will be placed upon the young people. Wednesday, February 6, has been set aside as Children's Night, and Monday, February 4, as Old Timer's Night.

A nightly count is being taken to determine the number of visitors and members present representing each Sunday School class. The two classes with the highest percentages at the end of the revival will be awarded prizes.

Services begin each evening at 7:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend, says the pastor.

Jackie Drummond And Dee Prewit Get Air Academy Bids

Nomination of Eugene Dee Prewit, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. (Gene) Prewit of 844 Northwest Second Street, and Jackie Wayne Drummond, son of G. W. Drummond of Route 1, for the United States Air Force Academy, has been announced by Congressman Omar Burleson from Washington.

This nomination qualifies the local young men to compete with the nominees of other Texas congressmen for one of the openings for Texas boys in the next class to be formed at the new academy in Colorado. The Air Force will conduct a series of tests of all nominees and then select a number for admission this coming summer.

Both the young men are now senior students at Hamlin High school.

Balloting will be done in boxes at Hamlin, Tuxedo, Stamford, Swenson, Lueders and Avoca.

The most exasperating bore is the one who drops names but won't pick up checks.

County Club Boys Vie for \$1200 in Prizes, Trophies

Hamlin Entries To Total 83, with One Girl Entrant

Entries of Hamlin 4-H Club boys and Future Farmers of America at Saturday's Jones County Club Boys Livestock Show at Hamlin will total 82, a tabulation of the animals and poultry being primed for the show indicated first of the week.

One girl, Ann Johnson, a 4-H Club member, also will have an entry in the event.

Entries by division, as tabulated by show directors first of the week, will be:

Hamlin FFA Boys.
Steers—Gene Murff, DeVaughn Carrigan (two), Marian Carter, Jim Stinnett and Boyce Blankinship.
Breeding Beef Cattle—Dwight Griggs.
Dairy Cattle—Douglas Ford (two), Richard Bruner (two), Carl Weaver, William Cranford.
Breeding Swine—Marian Carter, Sam Hodges and Terry Scott.
Fat Swine—Jerry Crowley, Joe Deel, Tommy Bonds, Otha Ray Brown, Michael Brandon, Linnie Johnson, Douglas Ford, Rac Reid, Steve Reynolds, Davey Weaver and Ronnie Rowland.
Broilers—Steve Reynolds, Tobe Shields, Ted Masser, Wesley Aklin, Davey Weaver, Red Fyler, Clifford Green, Donald Pyron, Roy Houghton, Jesse Houghton and Richie Smith.
Fat Lambs—Ken Prewit, Victor Criswell and Bob Martin.
Hamlin 4-H Club Entries.
Steers—Ray Johnson Jr. and Ann Johnson.
Fat Swine—Warren Reynolds.
Broilers—Van and Dan Newberry.
Capons—Larry Stephens.



LIVESTOCK SHOW JUDGES—Two of the judges for Saturday's Jones County Club Boys Livestock Show at Hamlin will be Willard Smith (left) of Texas Tech College, who will judge beef and swine; and Max Stuart of Roby, who will judge dairy and sheep. Marvin Weber will judge poultry.

More Than \$1,000 In Cash Prizes Offered Winners

Club boys of Jones County will be honored guests in Hamlin this week-end when scores of 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America boys bring their animals and poultry here from all corners of the county to exhibit them in the annual Jones County Club Boys Livestock Show.

Site for the show is the big warehouse just east of the office of Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill in Northeast Hamlin. Access to the show is gained by turning north off Highway 92 (to Stamford) at the Rotary and Lions Club signs.

Elaborate preparations for the show have been underway several days under the direction of T. C. Blankinship and Harold V. Eades, vocational agriculture teachers at Hamlin High School, and FFA boys of the school. Officials of the oil mill are offering much assistance in preparing the buildings.

Divisional superintendents for the show, handling sectional details for the show, are: Elbert Payne, Olin Amerson, Art Newcomb and Jack Williamson, beef cattle; James McGough, L. C. Bonds, Jack Vaughan and Callens George, swine; Revis Robertson, Robert Johnson and H. S. Stovall, sheep; W. C. Eoff and W. J. (Jap) Kemp, dairy cattle; H. L. Williams and G. T. Black.

Besides approximately \$1,000 in cash prizes posted for winners of the various divisions, special trophies are being offered for grand championships. Bulk of the prize money is provided by the Chambers of Commerce of Anson, Hamlin and Stamford.

Special trophies are offered by the following individuals, business firms and civic groups: Sam Baize, breeding beef; Hawley Chamber of Commerce, breeding swine; Stamford Lions Club, (two trophies) and Anson Implement Company, breeding sheep; Roy Moritz and V. B. Rowland, dairy cattle; Anson Lions Club (two awards), and Hamlin Farmers & Merchants National Bank, fat lambs; Hamlin Lions Club, fat swine; Hamlin Rotary Club, fat steers; Lueders Chamber of Commerce, broilers; Kimbell-Stamford Company, capons.

March of Dimes to Be Completed Soon

Hamlin's March of Dimes campaign will be completed the last of this week or the first of the next, it was announced Wednesday by Rev. Darris L. Egger, campaign director.

The police polio street blockade was postponed from last Saturday until this coming Saturday, February 2, due to the icy conditions last week-end. This police force will be manned by the Boy Scouts of Hamlin under the direction of Weldon Johnson. The boys will be stationed at South Central Avenue and Southwest Third Street intersection at the traffic light.

The Mother's March, to be headed by members of the women's clubs of Hamlin and under the direction of Mrs. Wilson Brannon, will be held Thursday night from 7:00 to 8:00 o'clock. The fire siren will be sounded at 7:00 indicating the start of the Mother's March in the residential areas.

The MOD project at the public schools will be completed this week under the supervision of Mac Fullerton, band director. Coin cards were distributed first of the week and will be received Thursday. Blue crutches will be held

by high school students. A special feature being arranged is a basketball game between members of the faculty and the varsity, with Superintendent C. F. Cook and High School Principal Chink Newberry as referees. In the game fans and team members can argue with the referees for a quarter. All proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

Money is already being received from individuals, clubs and various activities, Egger reports. A colorful event took place more than a week ago directed by two enterprising young ladies, Jane Ferguson and Carol Seals. A doll show was held in Carol's bedroom. No admission was charged, but a MOD jar was placed in an advantageous spot and more than \$17 was collected.

Mothers' March On Polio Slated Thursday Evening

This week Mrs. Wilson Brannon, chairman of the Mother's March on Polio in Hamlin, has named her co-chairmen and workers for the Mother's March, scheduled for this (Thursday) evening from 7:00 to 8:00 o'clock.

Start of the march in the residential areas will be announced by the sounding of the fire siren. Citizens are urged to turn on their porch lights, and mothers will call on these houses for contributions.

Co-chairmen for the drive are Mrs. W. S. Seals for Northwest Avenues H, I and J. Workers are Mmes. Ed Lewis, A. J. Hallmark and Bill Davis.

Mrs. Gerald Young, chairman for Northwest Avenues A, B and C. Workers are Mmes. Robert Fowler, Truman Nix, Billy Joe Wilson and Duane Stallcup.

Mrs. M. L. Smith, chairman for Northwest Avenue D, E, F and G. Workers are Mmes. George Poe, L. C. Bonds, Jerry Waggoner and Bill Feagan.

Mrs. John D. Ferguson, chairman for West Lake Drive. Workers are Mmes. Weldon Carlton and E. D. Perrin.

Mrs. Byron Bell for Northeast Avenues A, B and C.

Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. for North Central Avenue.

Mrs. Arlie Cassle for Southwest Avenues A, B, C, D and E. Workers are Mmes. Jack Wicker, J. C. Turner Jr., Delbert Rountree, E. J. Hawkins, Julia Harden and G. L. Feller.

Mrs. Garland Preston, chairman for Southwest Avenues F, G, H, I and J.

South section of town will be worked by Boy Scouts under the direction of Weldon Johnson.

Rev. Darris L. Egger is city chairman for the March of Dimes campaign.

All-Night Singing at Dove Slated Friday

Dove community church, five miles east of Hamlin on the Stamford highway, will celebrate its fifth year of singing Friday night, February 1, with an all-night singing, community leaders announce. Singing will get started about 7:30 o'clock, and the public is invited to attend.

Plenty of doughnuts and coffee will be on hand for attendants, it is announced.

Who's New This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Greenville are announcing the birth on January 28 of a son, in a Greenville hospital. Weighing seven pounds five ounces, he has been named Raymond LaFoy. The mother is the former Margot Faye Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaFoy Patterson of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Shout spent the week-end at Carlsbad, New Mexico, visiting their new twin grandsons, who arrived January 23. They have been named Gary and Terry.

Only one new citizen was recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. The new arrival was: A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Clayton Lee of Hamlin, who was born January 24 at 2:20 a. m. He tipped the scales at nine pounds seven ounces, and has been named Johnny Lynn.

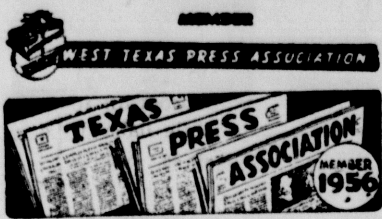


MANAGING EDITORS ELECT NEW OFFICERS—Four of the five new officers of the Texas Associated Press Managing Editors Association examine an AP Photofax Wirephoto receiver following their election at the annual meeting in Galveston. Left to right are: William L. Latham, secretary, managing editor of The El Paso Times; Bill Collins, president, editor of Latham, secretary, managing editor of The El Paso Times; John Ellis, treasurer, editor of The Fort Worth Star Tele Gram; and Ed Wischamper, second vice president, managing editor of The Abilene Reporter News. Felix McKnight, managing editor of The Dallas Morning News, was named first vice president but was not present when the picture was made.

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CLUB BOYS' SHOW IS MAJOR EVENT FOR YOUTH

Hamlin is playing host this week-end to the annual Jones County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show, which rotates between the three major towns of the county. Stamford was host two years ago, and Anson was the site of last year's exhibition.

Being home-base for this outstanding exhibition of fine cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry is an event that should thrill every citizen in any city. So, The Herald extends a hearty welcome to the club boys and girls of the county, their parents, sponsors and other visitors. We hope the visitors will find hospitality and friendliness on every hand.

The Jones County show, which for years has been one of the leading shows of its kind in West Texas, exemplifies the manifestation of a high degree of interest and development of the perfection of fine blooded animals and poultry adapted to this section of the country. The fact that our young men and young women are giving serious thought and much devotion to the club programs are the section's best assurance of improved livestock growing methods for the generations to come.

To be sure, the leadership offered the boys and girls of the county by the county agents, vocational agriculture instructors and other leaders and sponsors is not to be minimized in evaluating the clubbers' program. Our school district are giving outstanding cooperation by their support of the VA programs for

the FFA. Likewise, the county Commissioners Court is cooperating with state and federal agencies in the work with 4-H Club boys and girls.

Prizes for the annual shows are little rewards of appreciation for the time and work and ingenuity put into the development of prize animals and poultry exhibiting during the show. Cash prizes of more than \$1,200 are offered for winners in the show, most of which is provided by the Chambers of Commerce of the three leading Jones County towns. Also assisting in the awards are civic clubs of the three cities as well as some individuals who help provide trophies.

Jones County farmers and others interested in giving encouragement to the boys and girls of the area who are getting fundamental knowledge and practical experience in caring for, feeding and record keeping of prize livestock will see that good crowds attend the show in Hamlin this week-end—just as they have in previous years. The boys and girls deserve the backing that only admiring leaders, parents and friends can give them.

See you in Hamlin this week-end for the annual Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show! You'll be glad you came, and you might be surprised at the prize stock being raised hereabouts despite short crops, drouth and other disparaging conditions that exist in this section of the country.

Planned Progress

"What we need in this town is an industry of some sort!" We've all heard that statement or one like it a hundred times over. But how many of our rural communities are really ready to take care of a new industry? How many have facilities such as good schools, available housing, places for recreation, attractive shopping centers, and all the other things management looks for in addition to a factory site?

A program called Planned Progress, which has been operating for several years in Missouri and parts of Iowa and Illinois, is designed to help the smaller communities become more attractive places to live in and work in. It is sponsored by the Missouri Edison, Missouri Power & Light and Union Electric Companies. They help organize the program, and provide coordination, advice and the stimulation of cash awards to spark local effort.

Townpeople in more than 200 communities have participated in the program since 1952. Some of the things they have done include the following: Installed new sidewalks, paved streets, made and installed street signs, carried on supervised recreation program for children, campaigned for bond issues for improved schools and water systems, developed city parks and community centers, organized volunteer fire fighting associations, and organized clean-up campaigns on a community-wide basis.

To quote from an editorial in the Warsaw, Illinois, Bulletin, "Although it isn't possible for an outsider to solve another community's problems, it's certainly possible for an outsider to help a community solve its own problems. And that is exactly the kind of boost we are getting from Planned Progress!"

Are Things Really Better?

People have more money today than they did before World War II. But here are some sobering comparisons: A worker who earned \$3,000 in 1939 needs \$6,122 today to be as well off. The family with a \$5,000 income in 1939 has to have \$10,583 now. And 1939's \$25,000-a-year man was doing just as well as today's executive who brings in around \$68,000 a year.

Taxes and inflation make the difference. No denying it, the dollar has really shrunk.

The Other Man

Seize each opportunity to help the other man. Welcome every chance to do a good turn where you can. Go out of your way to say a word of kindness—something to relieve the strain, the burden and the stress.

Never let a day slip by unmarked by some good thing—a chance of doing something that will lighten someone's load.

You can't go far along life's road before you see a breakdown. The other man—he's always there—the stranger or the friend. You turn around the bend and there he is—a pal in trouble—or an enemy. Help him!

Editorial of the Week

WEST TEXAS BOOK

As a result of cooperation among several West Texas groups and organizations a book on West Texas has been produced which represents the most exhaustive and extensive inquiry into this region, its past, present and future, ever set down in cold print.

It is called "Tomorrow in West Texas" and it comes from the press of Texas Technological College. The author is Sidney L. Miller Ph.D., school of business administration, University of Pittsburgh, who spent years on the chore.

Sub-title of the book is "Economic Opportunities along the Texas & Pacific Railway," but its scope is not confined to the territory immediately served by that railroad.

As Ray Grisham, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which had large hand in the movement to produce this study, points out in a letter to this newspaper: "Although the intensive research which preceded the writing of this book was concentrated in the counties contiguous to the Texas & Pacific Railway, the book's contents are applicable, we believe you will agree, to the entire region. It is certainly an analysis of economic potential presented with singular skill."

It is indeed. It also contains a lot of West Texas history bearing on the development of agriculture, commerce and industry in this vast region, its geography, topography and climate.

Here is a book that should prove invaluable as a reference work, and at the same time as a directory and chronicle of West Texas' economic development from a wilderness to its present state of importance in 75 years.—The San Angelo Standard-Times.

RECALLING

Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Among news items of 20 years ago in the Hamlin community were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 29, 1937:

Helpy-Selfy Grocery advertises the following prices: Hamburger, 10 cents pound; oranges and apples, one cent each; Schillings or Folger's coffee, two pounds for 59 cents.

Mrs. J. C. Culbertson entertained the Tuesday Club at her home this week. Attending were Mrs. W. F. Johnson, John T. Day, H. O. Cassie, W. J. Poe and D. O. Sauls and Misses Allie and Pearl Whitely.

Margaret Boyd and Marvin Hampton were united in marriage January 16 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton. Hampton is a young business man of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Greenway announce the marriage of their daughter, Peggy Irene, to Clifton B. Crowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Crowley of McCaulley. They were married in Lubbock Saturday.

Fisher County farmers have recently received \$121,486.26 from the government in the plan of soil conservation. The 1936 total will be about \$250,000.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Considered newsworthy in the Hamlin community 10 years ago were the following items, reproduced from The Hamlin Herald dated January 31, 1947:

Corporal John Edwards, who has been serving with the Army Air Corps in Germany, is reported to be on his way home. His wife is the former Earline Johnson.

Bill Scott, former Pled Piper basketball star, has been named co-captain of the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy basketball team.

Plans were virtually complete this week for the Hamlin Future Farmers of America Livestock Show, to be held at the migratory labor camp in Hamlin February 8. Prizes of \$150 will be given to exhibitors of winning livestock and poultry.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt are in Dallas this week to attend the gift show.

R. A. Dean of Texas Tech College, Lubbock, spent Monday and Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. R. S. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Cash celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary Wednesday.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, which are condensed from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 1, 1952:

Bloodmobile of the Red Cross, which is seeking to recoup its reserve of blood plasma for emergencies that may arise during the next several months, will be in Hamlin next Wednesday to take blood donations, announces Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, chairman of the local drive. Hamlin has been assigned a donation quota of 210 pints of blood.

A new church building for the congregation of the Oak Grove Colored Baptist Church is being planned, according to Rev. J. L. Johnson, pastor. Several Hamlin people have pledged their assistance with the new building.

Wesley Nail, business manager of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, has been elected president of the Hamlin Rotary Club for the new club year beginning July 1.

Work is slated to begin soon on the new post office building, to be erected at the corner of Southwest Third Street and Avenue A by Carmichael brothers.

More than 5,000 poll tax payments had been made Thursday, according to county tax assessor-collector Elzy Bennett, to establish a new high for the county.

ONE YEAR AGO.

From the files of a year ago the following news briefs are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 27, 1956:

Everett William Redd of Hamlin was given five years in the state penitentiary in 104th District Court at Anson Monday after being charged with theft of a car from W. R. Rushing of Hamlin. He was arrested in California.

New five-yard dump truck recently purchased by the City of Hamlin arrived this week and was immediately put into service.

Rainfall totaling 25 of an inch for the month of January was a poor start for the year, declares Bill Rountree, government gauger.

Renewed oil activity in the Hamlin area is promised with binging recently of four new producers in the territory.

Selection of Right Form That Fits Size And Source of Income Helps Filing

The first important decision you have to make when starting the home work involved in filing an income tax return is to resolve this question: Which form should I use?

The answer is this: Use the one that is simplest and fits the kind and size of your income.

The Internal Revenue Service says that it expects more than two-thirds of the 60,000,000 individual tax returns which will be filed this year will come in on the forms known as 1040A and short form 1040.

Form 1040A is the simplest of all. It is of cardboard and about the size of a check. There are lines and spaces to fill in on the front and back. No great detail is required. If your income qualifies you to use this form.

You can just give the revenue service the information asked. Revenue will compute the amount of tax you owe and bill you for more money or send a refund.

This year you have an option which is new. You can fill in the last three lines on the front page of the card and compute your own tax, using the table on the instruction sheet you will receive. If you do this, however, and owe the tax, you must send a check or money order made out to "Internal Revenue Service" along with your return. You cannot wait for the Internal Revenue Service to bill you.

You can use 1040A only if your income fits the following description: Your total income must be less than \$5,000 consisting of salary and wages from which your employer has withheld taxes, and not more than \$100 total of other wages, dividends and interest. This is the limit also for the combined income of husband and wife who may file the return jointly.

You cannot use 1040A if you have other types of income, such as pensions payments. Also, you cannot use it if you want to report sick pay (which can be excluded from your income), or claim other special credits.

However, you can use the card form and also take advantage of special tax treatment of dividend income. The law provides that you do not have to pay the tax on the first \$50 of dividend income from domestic corporations. Therefore, on the card form you simply do not report up to \$50 of your dividend income. You can omit up to \$100 if husband and wife are filing jointly. Each is entitled to a \$50 exclusion applied against his or her separate dividend income. If your income fits 1040A and

you decide to use this card form, then the standard deduction of 10 per cent of your income must be accepted. That much deduction is allowed in the amount of tax figured in the table on the instruction sheet. This flat 10 per cent deduction covers such things as contributions, interest, taxes, medical expenses and the like. If your actual deductions are more than 10 per cent of your income, it will be to your advantage to use form 1040 and itemize them. You cannot do this on 1040A.

Form 1040 is printed on pages about the size of a large letterhead. There are four pages, but only pages one and two will apply to the average taxpayer with income solely from wages and salaries. You will be concerned with pages three and four only if you have other types of income such as dividends, interest, property sales, pensions, royalties, rents and the like.

Some taxpayers will be able to get by on this wage earner's short form using only page one. Others will have to use pages one and two.

You will be able to comply using only page one if you are single with no dependents to claim for exemptions, or if you are married and claim exemptions only for your wife and your children, and if your adjusted gross income is less than \$5,000 in salary or wages. But you must also accept the standard deduction of 10 per cent for personal expenses as on the card form and use the tax table provided on page 16 of the instructions to find your tax.

The "adjusted gross income" on form 1040 is your total income, less business connected expenses and amounts of sick pay which you may exclude from your income. You can do so and also get credit for any over-payment of social security tax and the special tax rates which apply to heads of households, and certain widows and widowers.

There are certain special benefits you can claim on 1040 but may not claim on the card form 1040A. On page two of form 1040, the big form, you will be able to claim other dependents and get credit for them to reduce your income and tax. There is also a section for itemizing your personal deductions. Remember that it pays you to itemize them if they total more than 10 per cent of your income. But you also will have to compute your tax if you itemize your deductions.

At the bottom of page two is a section where you do this. The

Vic Vet says
THE NEW SURVIVOR BENEFITS ACT DOES NOT CHANGE THE RIGHT TO CONVERT GI TERM INSURANCE POLICIES WHICH HAVE BEEN CONVERTIBLE UNDER PREVIOUS LAWS

lines refer to a set of computation tables and instructions on page 11 of the form 1040 instructions. These will help to cut down on the amount of arithmetic.

By looking over your own figures and relating them with the various forms, you now should be able to select the right one. This done, you are ready for the decisions which will be the subject of the next article.

Next Week: Classes of returns.

A half price Odds and Ends Cash Sale at The Book Shop Friday, Saturday and Monday, February 1, 2 and 4!

Tree Seedlings for Windbreak Purposes Now Available Again

Seedlings for windbreak purposes are available again this year through the Texas Forest Service, according to Bill Lehmberg, county agent.

Application blanks are available in the county agent's office and orders will be received until March 1. The seedlings will be sent from Norman, Oklahoma. The cost is \$1.50 per 100 trees.

Species available include Arizona cypress, red cedar, Chinese elm, honey locust and Austrian pine.

Trees are available for farm planting and on state, federal, municipal and county land. People living in town are not eligible for these seedlings, Lehmberg explains.

USELESS CONTRIBUTION.

Johnson was attending a lecture with his son, listening to a missionary telling of his experience in Africa. Then a collection plate was passed. Suddenly Johnson's young son said loudly in the quiet: "Daddy, you heard the man say that the natives didn't wear clothes. Why did you put a button in the plate?"

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FOR HOME USE

HOUSE DRAIN STOPPAGES: Apply two tablespoons to clogged drain, follow with two quarts of water; allow to stand over night.

GARBAGE GRINDER: Same as house drains.

GREASE TRAPS: Apply two to four tablespoons to drain leading to grease trap or open trap; cover and sprinkle this amount on top of grease; follow with two quarts of water. Repeat every week.

SEPTIC TANKS: Apply one-half pound through commode; repeat every three months or as odor and conditions call for the need.

CESSPOOLS: Same as for septic tanks.

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28.7 Per Cent of Junior High Students Have Perfect Attendance for Year

Sixty-two students of Hamlin Junior High School last week ended the first half of the school year with perfect attendance records, reports Principal Marvin Carlton.

Grain Sorghums For Hamlin Area Named by Agent

With so many new grain sorghum hybrids available, there is some confusion on which one to plant in this area, according to Bill Lehman, Jones County farm agent.

Dr. Lee C. Coffey, agronomist with the Extension Service and experiment station, visited with the agent recently and explained the various hybrids and their region of adaptability.

For Jones County, RS160 and Texas 620 seem to hold the most promise. No. 610 is a medium early hybrid which blooms slightly earlier than Martin. It has good exertion (the head extends well above the top flag leaf), but the head dries more slowly than Martin. The seed are large, medium soft and subject to discoloration during rainy periods. It is a cross between Combine kaffir and 7078.

Texas 620 blooms about the same time as Martin, is dry headed and has excellent exertion. It produces excellent yields wherever Martin is adapted. It should be harvested promptly when mature. There is some possibility of lodging under bad growing conditions with this variety.

For further information, see your county agent.

With a total enrollment of 216 in the school, 28.7 per cent have not missed a day, he says.

Records by grades for the first half of the school term are given below:

Eighth Grade—With 68 enrolled, 37 per cent have not missed a day. Students with perfect attendance records are: Beth Christian, Milburn Crawford, Ray Johnson Jr., David Karnes, Ned Moore Jr., Ann Rabjohn, Charlene Pendley, Jimmy Shivers, Larry Upshaw, David Bonds, Zoan Winegeart, Wayne Boatright, Nell Waldon, Charles Brewer, Clyde Hodnett, Norman Cranford, Winnie Bell Grubb, Nina Jean, Jackie Haight, Billy LaBaume, Henry O'Neal, Robert Rangel and Janice Ueckert.

Seventh Grade—With 78 enrolled, 33 per cent have not missed a day. Students with perfect attendance records are: Mary Smith, Wayne Baize, George Ann Black, Lloyd Brancum, Arny Chesier, Thelma McClung, Warren Reynolds, Billy Richey, Carol Stinnett, Rayford Williams, Sandra Smith, Darlene Josey, Stanley Austin, Santana Cortezas, Dixie Daniels, Hubert Hall, Annette Hall, Velta Hastings, Mike Kelly, Leona Brinegar, Jeanette Jenkins, Jerry Dan Sappington, William Shields, Jerry Smith, Raley Smith and Neida Stone.

Sixth Grade—With 70 enrolled, 18 per cent have not missed a day. Students with perfect attendance records are: Tommy Brown, Larry Grimm, Van Newberry, Betty Jane Robertson, Mary Debs Rountree, Marshall Smith, Wynell Williams, Anthony Wolf, Joyce Bingham, Randy Brown, Penny Ford, Dorothy Gray and Mike Martin.

There are more states east than west of the Mississippi River.



PASSENGER CAR STYLING comes to the trucking business in Ford's 1957 Styleside pickup. It typifies revolutionary changes in the new Ford trucks which Hamlin Motor Company and other Ford dealers display Saturday. Full width styling has more than just eye appeal. It widens the truck's load by 20 inches, and adds 25 per cent more load capacity than old style models offer. This pickup is one of nearly 300 models in the 1957 Ford line which ranges upward to huge extra heavy duty models.

Sunshine Group of Bluebirds Gives Exhibit of Dolls

Members of the second grade group of Bluebirds, known as the Sunshiners, presented a doll show with their mothers as guests. The purpose of the doll show was for the mothers to become better acquainted with each other and with the girls in the group.

Mrs. Richard Young, leader of the Sunshiners, introduced each girl, who gave the name of her doll and told something about the doll and its clothes. Then each mother was introduced. Following the doll show, punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Jack Wicker, assistant leader, to those present.

All of the members of the Sunshiners were present, and are as follows: Lynn Brannon, Joy Bond, D. Cochran, Sherry Cox, Teresa Gabriel, Linda Goodwin, Margaret Ann Johnson, Barbara Keith, Sue Roddy, Janet Kelly, Louise Lujan, Marilyn Monce, Vicki Newland, Jimmie Reid, Suzanne Wicker, Belinda Woods, Jean Young and Pat Feller.

Mothers attending were Mrs. Richard Young, sponsor; Mrs. Jack Wicker, assistant leader; Mrs. Richard Young, leader; and Mmes. W. W. Goodwin, Elmer Roddy, W. F. Lumbley, Bo Newland, Jack Kelly, G. L. Feller, W. T. Johnson, James Woods, Jack Bond, J. D. Cochran and J. T. Cox.

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Cold Weather Drops Attendance Total at City Sunday Schools

Sunday School attendance at the 12 reporting Hamlin churches took a decided tumble Sunday as temperatures held below freezing for the day. The 744 total was 510 below the previous Sunday and 596 below the year ago total.

Totals, by churches, for January 27, 28 and 29 are as follows:

Churches	Jan. 27	Jan. 28	Jan. 29
Assembly of God	27	41	46
Calvary Baptist	37	50	33
United Pentecostal	96	157	137
Church of Christ	33	51	45
Sunset Baptist	33	47	50
Faith Methodist	30	69	56
Foursquare Gospel	107	201	221
First Methodist	57	100	100
Ch. of Nazarene	33	31	49
Mexican Baptist	31	74	53
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist	251	392	523
No. Cen. Baptist	251	392	523
First Baptist	251	392	523
Totals	744	1254	1340

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Lions See Film on Warning System Being Set in Arctic

Enormity of the emergency warning system of electronic and radar systems in the Arctic and Canadian territories, being installed by Western Electric Company, was envisioned by members of the Hamlin Lions Club when a film on preparations for building of the system was shown at the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the club at the oil mill guest house.

The film, provided by Andy Anderson of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company at Hamlin, gave graphic views of the immense supply system necessary to implement the project, which will provide a circle of warning devices for possible attack of this country from enemy planes from the north.

C. V. Herbert, maintenance supervisor at the Celotex Corporation plant at Hamlin, was installed as a new member of the Lions Club. He was installed by B. V. Newberry, deputy district governor and member of the Hamlin club.

Several Lions Club members indicated they would attend a zone meeting of area clubs at Sweetwater on February 12.

Guests at the Tuesday Luncheon included Al Riddle of New Orleans, Louisiana, Jim Lain of Abilene, Delma Shulbourn of Snyder, Junior Haight and LaFoy Patterson of Hamlin.

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending January 12, 1957, were 23,164 compared with 25,101 for the same week in 1956, reflecting a decline from the year ago figure. Cars received from connections totaled 10,906 compared with 11,466 for the same week in 1956.

Total cars moved were 34,070 compared with 36,567 for the same week in 1956. Santa Fe handled a total of 29,406 cars in the preceding week this year.

Careful Driving Especially Imperative During Winter, Says Safety Official

"Motorists should learn and practice a few simple precautions for driving modern cars safely on winter roads," E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, said this week in commenting on the program to combat winter automobile hazards sponsored by the Texas Safety Association.

"The driver's seat should always be adjusted so that the driver's foot rests fully on the accelerator pedal," McFadden said. "This removes the danger of sudden bursts of power which can cause an automobile to go out of control on icy roads."

He also pointed out that proper seat adjustment gives better control over the clutch and brake pedals.

"Wise motorists should practice smooth driving all year," he said, "so it will be a habit when roads become slippery in winter. They must learn to use power brakes gently, because over-braking is very easy with power brakes, and very hazardous on slippery roads."

Skilled steering is another "must" for safe winter driving, according to McFadden. Drivers should get the feel of the road and

be careful not to over-steer their cars, particularly when driving with power steering. The steering wheel should not be held by the spokes or at the top, but gripped with both hands wide apart on the wheel to insure steady, precise steering.

Winter motorists also were warned to keep their cars in good mechanical condition, and equipped with good tires. A set of reinforced tire chains should be in the trunk, ready for use when needed for dangerous or stalling ice or snow conditions.

"Cars today are easier to drive than they have ever been," McFadden said, "but they require even more alertness and responsibility on the part of motorists if they are to be driven safely, particularly in winter time."

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Rev. Judy Chaves to Preach Two Evenings At Full Gospel Church

Rev. Judy Chaves, nationally known evangelist of Long Beach, California, will be the featured speaker in a two-evening series of services at the Full Gospel Church in North Hamlin, according to Rev. J. M. Metcalf, pastor. The services are scheduled next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at the church, located on the old Rotan road north of the Katy railroad. Crossing may be made on Northwest Avenue D.

Mrs. Chaves has spoken in Hamlin on previous occasions, Metcalf says. He invites the public to attend.

Rev. Metcalf recently came to Hamlin to reorganize the Full Gospel Church, which had ceased to have services for several months.

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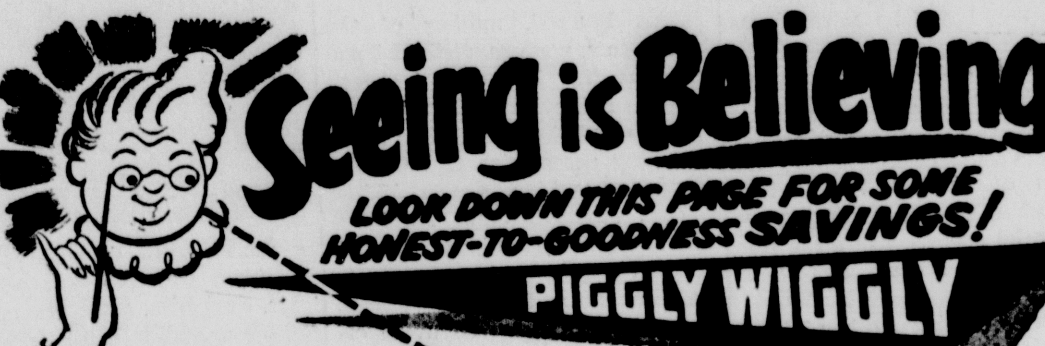
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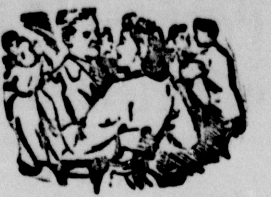
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Jane Lesley Orcutt and Max Murrell Married in North Carolina Ceremony

Jane Lesley Orcutt and Max Rogers Murrell pledged their marriage vows Sunday at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon in the May Street Methodist Church in Fayetteville, North Carolina. Rev. Graham S. Eubank, pastor of the church, officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selwyn Francis Orcutt of Fayetteville, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Murrell of Hamlin.

Prior to the speaking of vows, a program of wedding music was presented by Ernest O. Geddie, organist, and Mrs. John B. Martin Jr., soloist. Geddie played "Nocturne" by Chopin, "Libertraum" by Liszt, "Serenade" by Schubert and the traditional processional and recessional. Mrs. Martin sang "A Wedding Prayer" by Dunlop and "At Dawning" by Cadman. During the ceremony "To a Wild Rose" by McDowell was played softly, and after the benediction "O Perfect Love" by Barnby was played on the chimes.

Arrangements of seven-branched candelabra with burning white tapers, arrayed against a background of kentia palms, highlighted with baskets of gladiolas and white pom-poms, formed a setting for the nuptial scene. The altar was decorated with a cascade of white pom-poms.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of imported Italian Dupioni silk and Chantilly lace, with covered buttons accenting the princess lines. Lace formed garlands in the bouffant skirt which ended in a chanel train. The bodice featured a trait neckline with a yoke effect of lace, reembodying in seed pearls and iridescent sequins, and the long sleeves were of lace, tapering into points over the hands. Her two-tier, finger-tip veil of silk illusion was attached to a pearl and sequin-studded helmet of Dupioni silk and lace. Her only ornament was a single strand of cultured pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a cascade of white orchids, interspersed with stephanotis and white roses.

Elizabeth Wood Huffines was maid-of-honor. She was attired in a princess styled gown of emerald green taffeta featuring a pleated strapless bodice, over which she wore a fitted bolero with three-quarter length sleeves. A wide Nile green taffeta panel flowed from the bodice to the hemline of the full skirt. A small hat of matching taffeta woven in an open work pattern and embroidered in seed pearls completed her ensemble.

ble, and she carried a cascade of large yellow mums, interspersed with bronze pom-poms and tied with yellow taffeta ribbon.

The bridesmaids, Ann Thompson Nimocks and Toakie Juani Tucker of Fayetteville and Mrs. John Maultsby Grantham of St. Pauls, wore dresses of emerald green taffeta fashioned after that of the maid-of-honor, and carried identical bouquets.

Mr. Murrell attended his son as best man. Groomsmen were Robert Selwyn Orcutt, brother of the bride, Robert Oates McCoy of Fayetteville, John Maultsby Grantham of St. Pauls, Lieutenant Alan Irvine Armour and Lieutenant George Riley Rowan, both of Fort Bragg.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Orcutt chose a sheath dress of light blue peau de sole, featuring a draped neckline and short sleeves. With it she wore ice blue and black accessories and a corsage of white orchids.

Mrs. Murrell, mother of the bridegroom, wore candlelight beige silk Chantilly lace over a sheath of pure silk with scalloped neck, sleeves and hemline. She used matching accessories and wore a corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Rudolph John Plenkers, grandmother of the bride, was attired in a dress of blue lace with matching hat and navy accessories, and wore a corsage of white orchids.

The bride is a graduate of Fayetteville High School and attended Woman's College of the University of North Carolina for three years.

Young Murrell graduated from North Dallas High School and Southern Methodist University of Dallas, and is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. In 1953 he was graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York, and completed a tour of duty in the Far East before being stationed at Fort Bragg. He is now associated with his father in business in Hamlin.

Reception Given by Parents Following Orcutt-Murrell Rites

Following the Murrell-Orcutt wedding in Fayetteville, North Carolina, Sunday afternoon, the bride's parents entertained at a reception in the main ballroom of the Fort Bragg Officers Club. The room was decorated with white bridal flowers and palms, and the mantle was centered with a low arrangement of white pom-poms and gladiolas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Tucker Jr. received the guests in the lobby of the club and directed them to the ballroom, where Mr. and Mrs. Oscar P. Bruce Sr. presented them to the receiving line, which consisted of the bride and groom, the parents of the bride and groom and the bride's attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Lilly invited the guests to the bride's table, which was covered with a pale pink organdy cloth and centered with a five-branched silver candelabrum decorated with floral arrangements of pink and white. A three-tier decorated bride's cake topped with a dainty nosegay of sweetheart roses graced one end of the table. A silver punch bowl was used at the other end of the table.

Mrs. Wallace H. Huffines served the bride's cake after the bride and bridegroom cut the first slice.

Mrs. William Nimocks and Mrs. J. T. Squires served punch. Assisting in serving were Jean Carroll Sherrill, Jane Campbell Pickett and Patricia Ann McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. William Elbert Godwin Sr. presided over the bride's book, and Mr. and Mrs. William Moffitt Bland said the good-byes.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Murrell left for a wedding trip to Acapulco, Mexico. For traveling the bride wore a dress of brown wool tweed, with a brown velvet hat and chocolate brown accessories, and a corsage of orchids lifted from her bridal bouquet. When they return from their wedding trip, they will move into their own home at 437 Northwest Avenue I in Hamlin.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding and reception included Mrs. Rudolph J. Plenkers, grandmother of the bride, of Brooklyn, New York; Barbara Ann Plenkers, cousin of the bride, of Ringwood, New Jersey; and Mrs. Layne W. Turner, aunt of the bridegroom, of Monahan.

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NEWLYWED TO LIVE IN HAMLIN—Mrs. Maxwell Rogers Murrell (above) will be at home with her husband, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell, on Northwest Avenue I, following their wedding trip. She is the former Jane Lesley Orcutt of Fayetteville, North Carolina. The young people were married Sunday afternoon in Fayetteville.

Mrs. M. T. York Elected President of Hamlin Woman's Forum for New Year

Mrs. M. T. York, long time resident of Hamlin, and active in club and church activities for many years, was named president of the Hamlin Woman's Forum when members of the group met Tuesday afternoon at the Harden Memorial Library for the regular meeting.

The nominating committee, composed of Mrs. R. D. Moore, Mrs. E. J. Hawkins and Mrs. O. H. Weaver, reported a slate of officers for the coming year as follows: Mrs. M. T. York, president; Mrs. John D. Ferguson, first vice president; Mrs. Dean Witt, second

vice president; Mrs. W. A. Cassle, recording secretary; Mrs. Sol Branscum, treasurer; Mrs. Noel Weaver, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. E. M. Wilson, reporter.

Mrs. Tate May presided in the absence of the president. Mrs. May reported a membership of 73 and the total number of books in the library as 825.

Mrs. A. A. Hackley, chairman of the membership committee, reported that the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club had recently turned in nine new memberships. The Fifty-Two Study Club reported a 100 per cent membership of their club as members of the library.

Mrs. G. L. Feller, librarian, who with her family occupies the Woman's Forum Club apartment, is delighted with the response of Hamlin people to contribute books to the library, but the reading public is not taking advantage of the opportunity to use the library, she reports. Mrs. Feller is an experienced librarian, and the Forum is fortunate to have her services at the Harden Memorial Library, officials declare.

Membership dues are \$1 per year per family. Next meeting of the Forum will be April 30, which is the next date where five Tuesdays occur in the month.

Banquet Given for Primary BTU Group Thursday Evening

Members of the primary department of the Baptist Training Union of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a banquet in the basement of the church Thursday evening.

Rev. Calvin Bailey, the pastor, was the speaker. The rhythm band directed by Mrs. Vernon Sharer, played two numbers.

Mrs. George T. Campbell, departmental TU director, was in charge of the party. Helpers were Mrs. J. O. Murphree, Vernon Sharer, Wesley Niedeken and Connie O'Neal.

Other officers of the department include: Mrs. Chuck Abbott, pianist; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, song director; Mrs. Bill Deel, department secretary; Mrs. A. C. Tidwell, assistant department secretary.

A Valentine motif was carried out in decorations. About 75 youngsters and adults attended.

Good Neighbor Club Group Studies Etiquette

A program on Etiquette and Party Suggestions was presented when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club met last Tuesday evening at the Nienda community center. Nine were present.

Presenting the program were Mildred Weaver and Sydonia Lain. Hostesses were Adele Kelly and Arlene Faulkenberry.

County Club Women To Cooperate in Driver Vision Survey

All officers and most of the council delegates were present when the Jones County Home Demonstration Council met last Wednesday in the county agent's office at Anson.

Attendants introduced themselves and told the clubs they were from. Mrs. Mary Y. Newberry, the county home demonstration agent, gave the council their three main responsibilities. The standing rules were read and adopted. All committees for the new year were appointed.

District meeting will be held April 5 at Vernon, it was announced, so each club must have its candidate at the February council meeting, as delegates will be elected from Jones County. The council will cooperate with the American Optometric Auxiliary in conducting a driver's vision survey, which will be at Anson in March. Jones County is the only county in Texas to have this survey at this time. It was pointed out.

Bride-to-Be of Hamlin Man Honored at Gift Tea in Abilene

Mrs. J. C. Carr of 1702 Jeanette Street in Abilene was host for a gift tea honoring Linda Wagner of Abilene, bride-elect of Jim Holmes of Hamlin, Thursday evening in her home.

Receiving guests were Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Frank Moore, Mrs. M. F. Holmes, the honoree and her grandmother, Mrs. E. T. Walling. Dorothy Wagner, sister of the bride-elect, and Jo Ann Holmes, sister of the prospective bridegroom, displayed the gifts to approximately 50 guests, including a number from the Hamlin area.

Miss Wagner and Holmes will be married at the First Baptist Church in Riverside, California, at 7:00 p. m. on February 8.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"This is my first chance to call you, dear. I've been busy, busy, busy — all day!"

Birthday Party Held Thursday Afternoon For Carolyn McHugh

Carolyn McHugh celebrated her eighth birthday with a party for some of her young friends Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow McHugh, on North Central Avenue.

Following a series of games by the attendants, the honoree opened and displayed her gifts.

Refreshments of birthday cake and punch were served to Barbara Keith, Carolyn Perry, Pat White, Brenda Lee, Juanita Williams, Jamie Webb, Linda Helms, Nancy McHugh, Paula Helms, Howard Williams, David Wallace, O'Dell Lee, Ronny Guthrie, Allan Guthrie, Tommy McHugh and Eddie McHugh.

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Friendship Clubbers Work on Handcraft And Tube Painting

Members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met last Friday afternoon at the oil mill guest house with 10 members attending.

A round table discussion on Etiquette and Party Suggestions was conducted.

Following the program, members worked on tube painting and handcrafts.

Attendants included Mrs. Ed Branscum, M. S. Johnson, E. G. Young, Grady Smith, Sol Branscum, Noble Greer, Homer Neal, H. E. Brown, John Hix, John Charles Hix and Gean Witt.

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Patty Pattillo Feted On Fourth Birthday At Party Thursday

Patty Pattillo last Thursday afternoon celebrated her fourth birthday by giving a party for some of her young friends at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William A. Pattillo.

Games were played by the youngsters, then the honoree opened her gifts.

Birthday cake and punch were served to Donna and Gary Yeary, Pat White, Jane Hopper, Debbie Carlan, Donnie Croan, David Mullings, Nancy McHugh, Carolyn Perry, Kathy Christian, Barbara Keith, and Wayne, Mary Alice, Joyce and Orvie Fry.

Also helping Patty to celebrate were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richards of Sweetwater. Mothers present were Mrs. D. L. Yeary, Henry White, E. J. Croan, E. B. Hopper, J. H. Fry and D. A. Mullings.

Ruby Jo Alexander To Wed Abilene Man

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Alexander of McCauley are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruby Jo of Abilene, to Alan M. Harris of Abilene, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Owens of Phoenix, Arizona.

The double ring ceremony will be solemnized at 6:30 o'clock the evening of March 9 in the Elliott Chapel of Memories in Abilene.

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State Capitol NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—A number of the "Better Government" bills requested of the Legislature by the Texas Press Association have hit the legislative hopper.

Outstanding among those introduced are:

1. A mandatory publications bill, designed to force public officials to print public notices as called for by present statutes. Requiring removal from office of any public official who refuses to publish financial reports called for under existing laws, this bill would eliminate such occurrences as have happened in Duval County in recent years. Introduced by Senator Preston Smith of Lubbock and Representative John Lee of Kermit.

2. A bill to provide for public notice of applications of veterans applying for loans under the veterans' land act. Notices, to appear in the veteran's home town newspaper, would specify name of the veteran, describe the land, and quote the price he will be paying. Senator Charles Herring of Austin and Representative Louis M. Anderson of Midland have introduced companion bills in the Senate and House.

3. Representative Virginia Duff of Ferris and Senator Crawford Martin of Hillsboro have introduced measures which will require publication of annual financial statements by school districts and other official bodies. Again, a measure to help prevent situations similar to that in Duval County.

4. Senator Otis Lock of Lufkin and Representative Howard Green have introduced bills in their respective houses which would make it unlawful to bar newspaper reporters from precinct conventions. Object: To prevent instances when newsmen are unable to report convention facts to their readers because they are refused admission to such political meetings.

5. Meetings of public bodies would be open to the public, including newspapermen, if a bill introduced by Senator Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio and Representative Don Kennard of Fort Worth is passed. This bill will insure the "public's business" being kept public.

6. A measure providing for removal of officials who refuse to testify concerning their duties. By Senator Doyle Willis and Representative Howard Green, both of Fort Worth.

7. Two bills introduced by Representative Jack Welch of Marlin would require insurance companies to publish financial statements annually, and provide a penalty for furnishing false information to the insurance commission.

8. Senator Culp Krueger of El Campo has introduced a measure calling for publication of the full text of ordinances, rather than merely the caption. Publication of captions only, as now allowed by law, frequently does not give the public sufficient information as to what the ordinance contains.

9. Another bill by Representative DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi would require each treasurer receiving or controlling funds of a school district to keep a full account of all funds, and to file an annual report of those funds each school year. Present laws do not provide adequate protection at the local level for such accountings.

Among other items in the still abundant flow of suggested legislation are bills which would:

1. Require voters to register by

parties. By Senator Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio.

2. Provide paid investigators to assist grand juries. By Representative John T. Cox of Temple.

3. Refund state taxes on gasoline paid by cities. By Representative Robert W. Baker of Houston.

4. Exempt widows, old age pensioners, injured veterans and others from state property taxes on the first \$5,000 in value. By Representative D. Roy Harrington of Port Arthur.

5. Place liquidation of insurance companies under supervision of Travis County district judges rather than the insurance commission. By Senator Charles Herring of Austin.

6. Make Texas Thanksgiving the same as the federal holiday. By Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo.

7. Re-organize the Industrial Accident Board and increase workers' compensation benefits. By Representatives Kennard and Wade Spilman of McAllen.

8. Provide for annual sessions, boost legislators' salaries to \$7,500 a year and the speaker and lieutenant governor to \$12,500. By Representative Truett Latimer of Abilene.

House and Senate committees now are neck-deep in hearings on the paramount issue of the fifty-fifth session of the Texas Legislature—how much money to appropriate and to whom.

Facing them are these requests:

1. A \$2,000,000,000 appropriation bill submitted by the legislative budget board.

2. A bill to increase public school teachers' basic salaries from \$2,805 to \$3,204. Introduced by Senator A. M. Aikin and Representative James A. Turman.

3. A bill to give state employees a 15 per cent raise on the first \$3,000 of their salaries. By Senator Charles Herring, Representative Charles Sandahl and Wilson Foreman of Austin. Another bill by the other Travis County member, Representative Obie Jones, asks a 25 per cent raise.

4. A bill to appropriate \$3,000,000 to aid the totally disabled. By Senator William S. Fly of Victoria.

5. A bill to raise judges' salaries from \$9,000 to \$16,000 for district judges, from \$12,000 to \$20,000 for civil appellate judges, from \$17,500 to \$24,000 for Supreme Court and Criminal Appeal judges. By Senator Doyle Willis.

With two previous plans junked, a third recommendation has been made for buying state water storage space in federal reservoirs, fishing and boating tax, and then a water users' tax. Both met strong opposition.

Now Senator George Parkhouse of Dallas, water program leader, has substituted a plan to finance storage buying with a \$100,000,000 bond program. This is separate from another \$100,000,000 bond proposal to aid local governments in financing water conservation.

Butane fuel is not "gas" as far as the state gross receipts tax is concerned, the Supreme Court has ruled. It ordered the comptroller earlier plans included first, a refund taxes paid by a Rankin butane company. . . . State draft quota for February calls for 695 men, a drop from the January call of 861. A total of 65,094 men registered with Texas draft boards last year, according to State Selective Service headquarters. . . . Governor Daniel has re-appointed William L. McGill as director of Texas civil defense and disaster relief headquarters.

Railroads Remit \$22,207 in County Taxes During 1955

Texas railroads paid \$22,207 in 1955 in taxes to Jones County, according to the Texas Railroad Association. That amount was Jones County's share of the total of \$9,244,570 the railroads paid throughout the state.

In addition, of course, was the large total in taxes the railroads' more than 50,000 employees contributed on their own property. The vast majority of railroad workers, many of whom live in Jones County, own their own homes.

The largest railroad contribution in Jones County was for the support of education. The school tax for 1955 totaled \$13,754.

City and village taxes amounted to \$3,521, while the share of the county government's operating expenses paid for by the railroads totaled \$2,478. The road and bridge fund gained \$2,303 from the railroads in 1955. All other taxes brought the total for Jones County to \$22,207.

"I am glad to note that nearly half of the taxes paid by the railroads, \$4,161,052, went for the support of Texas schools," said Kenneth McCalla, general counsel for

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FFA Boys Guests of McCaulley FHA Unit

Members of the Future Farmers of America chapter were present as special guests when the McCaulley High School chapter of the Future Homemakers of America met last Monday evening in the homemaker's cottage.

Wanda Herron, president, called the meeting to order. After old and new business was discussed, a film, "A Diamond Is Forever," was shown.

Pat Griffin, song leader, led the group in a sing-song.

After refreshments were served, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 o'clock.

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Many Make Errors in Addition on Returns

Most of us are not surprised when the tax folks tell us one of the most common errors that we make on our tax returns is failing to add and subtract right, points out Tax Man Sam in a release to The Herald. They say that most of us add in favor of ourselves instead of in favor of Uncle Sam.

Most of us would save ourselves time and trouble by checking our tax returns before we mail them, reminds Tax Man Sam. The government has lots of adding machines and they check the tax return carefully and usually send a bill for the mistake.

New Maize Variety Seed Available to Hamlin Area Farmers

A new variety of maize will be available to farmers of the Hamlin area for late planting this year, according to Jones County Agent Bill Lehmberg.

Redbine 58 is a new red seeded early maturing variety of grain sorghum well adapted to combine harvesting. It is a standard variety and not a hybrid.

Redbine 58 is earlier in maturity than most combine varieties of grain sorghum now grown. It is adapted to late planting where early moisture may not be available or get the crop up, and to areas with a short growing season, low rainfall or dry situations where late varieties will not succeed. Redbine 58 blooms in 58 days and is three to four days earlier than Martin or Combine 7078. It is a sure crop under dry land planting in areas of low rainfall or in dry years.

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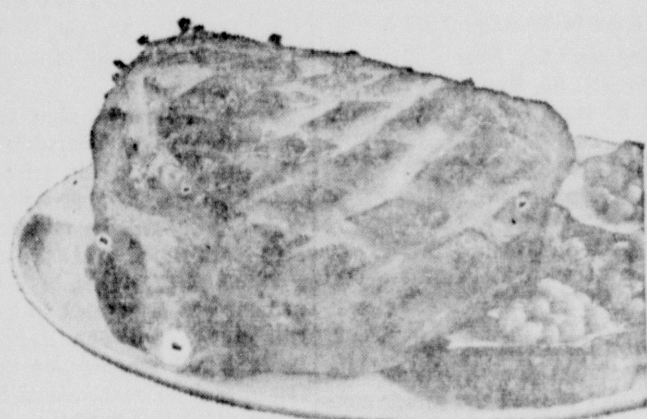
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Kitchen Craft Flour		5-Lb. Bag	39¢

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Pork Spareribs	Fresh Small-Loose	Lb.	53¢
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Colgate Tooth Paste	For Sparkling Teeth	Economy Tube	35¢

Shortening	Crisco	3-Lb. Can	99¢
Ivory Snow	Perfect for Quilts, Clothes	Large Box	32¢
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The Herald's Page of Sports



District Cage Teams Go Into Final Stretch for Crown

Stamford Squad Holds Lead for Five-Team Group

Although the strong Stamford Bulldog basketball crew took a surprised licking at the hands of the Haskell Indians Tuesday night, they continued to command the lead in the District 4-AA cage race. It was the Bulldogs' first loss this season.

The Indians held the long end of a 55 to 53 score after two overtime periods were necessary to decide the winner of the tilt.

Seymour's Panthers are on the heels of the Bulldogs with a four won and two lost record.

Haskell, with a three-three record in district games, has a percentage of .500 and stands in the middle of the five-team heap.

Anson and Hamlin are bringing up the rear. Anson has won two and lost four, while Hamlin has won one and lost five.

The standings, after Tuesday night's games, looks like this:

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Stamford	6	5	1	.833
Seymour	6	4	2	.666
Haskell	6	3	3	.500
Anson	6	2	4	.333
Hamlin	6	1	5	.167

Results Tuesday Night.
Seymour 69, Anson 41.
Haskell 55, Stamford 53.
ACC High School 72, Hamlin 36.

Junior High Boys' and Girls' Cage Teams Hold .500 Standings

Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams are in the middle of the cage race of the junior conference with averages of .500 percent. Merkel and Anson boys and Anson girls are leading the standings with perfect 1.000 ratings.

The standings of the five teams in each group follow.

Boys' Standings.				
Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Merkel	3	3	0	1.000
Anson	3	3	0	1.000
Hamlin	4	2	2	.500
Albany	3	0	3	.000
Rotan	3	0	3	.000

Girls' Standings.				
Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Anson	3	3	0	1.000
Rotan	1	2	1	.750
Hamlin	1	2	2	.500
Albany	1	1	2	.250
Merkel	3	0	3	.000

Results of January 28.
A boys—Anson 36, Albany 19; Hamlin 36, Rotan 11; B boys—Albany 18, Anson 12; Hamlin 25, Rotan 0; A girls—Anson 34, Albany 2; Rotan 18, Hamlin 12.

Games Slated February 4.
Merkel at Anson; Rotan at Albany; Hamlin, open.

Piperette Cagers Lose Two Games Friday To Merkel Squads

Hamlin High School's A and B girls' basketball teams lost both ends of a double bill to the cagers of Merkel last Thursday night at Merkel. The A girls lost their tilt by a 24 to 51 count, and the B crew dropped their fracas by a 31 to 43 score.

In the A game Sandra Stuart was high pointer for Hamlin with 12 marks, and Eva Wallace, Louise Lakey and Kay Millorn had four points each. McAninch was high pointer for Merkel with 25 points.

In the B encounter Lavada Teichelman led the scoring for Hamlin with 15 points, and Ann Maberry looped 11 marks and Martha Gage made seven. Black was high pointer for Merkel with 14 tallies.

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Pied Pipers Lose Two Games to ACC High

Hamlin's A and B cage crews dropped two fast games to the Abilene Christian College High School teams Tuesday night at Abilene. The A crew dropped their tilt by a 36 to 72 count, and the second stringers were defeated 42 to 62.

In the A game Don Adair led the scoring for the Pied Pipers with 12 points. Dee Prewitt made seven marks, and John Richey accounted for six.

In the B game Bill Perryman was high pointer for Hamlin with 10, followed by Bob Martin with nine. Lanier Foster and Charles Jenkins each bucketed eight tallies.

B Team Basketball Tournament Set Next Week-End

Hamlin High School's new gymnasium will be the site next week-end of a B team basketball tournament, it was announced Wednesday by B team coach Truman Nix of HHS.

Teams from eight area schools are scheduled to participate in the tournament. They are from Rotan, Haskell, Merkel, Stamford, Anson, Aspermont, Hamlin and Paint Creek.

First rounds of play will get underway next Thursday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock, four games being played that afternoon and night. Play will be resumed Saturday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock.

Placings of teams in the tournament are scheduled to be made this week, and The Herald will carry a full schedule of the first round play in next week's issue.

Appropriate trophies will be presented to the winner and the consolation winner. All-tournament team members also will be named from the competing teams, Nix announces.

Hamlin Boys Win, Girls Lose Against Rotan Junior Crews

Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams won two and lost one game when they played the Rotan Junior cagers Monday night in games played on the Hamlin court.

The seventh grade boys won the opener by blanking the Rotan seventh graders by a score of 25 to 0. The A boys won over Rotan by a score of 36 to 11. Rotan girls defeated the Hamlin girls by an 18 to 12 count.

Hamlin's A boys divided scoring honors among eight boys, with Cummings scoring eight points, Brandon six points, Bond five points, McCanlies five, Robinson six, and Rangel, Hodnett and Murff with two points each.

The seventh grade boys completely dominated their game by shutting out the Rotan boys. Scoring for Hamlin with four points each were Jerry Duncan, Frankie Lee, Tommy Sewell, Babe Shields and Jimmy Cooper.

Rotan girls won over Hamlin girls by a score of 18 to 12. Pettit of Rotan was the game's leading scorer with nine points. Nina Jean and Myra Siburt each got four points, with Melinda Martin, seeking three points and Suzanne Jenkins making one mark.

Piperettes Lose Tilt To Haskell by 31 to 45

Haskell basketball girls slipped away from the Piperettes of Hamlin High School last Tuesday night in a district game played at Hamlin. The final score was 31 to 45.

The Indian Maids were ahead all during the game, with a 27-point lead at the end of the third quarter. Eva Wallace was high pointer for Hamlin with 14 points, and Louise Lakey had 10 marks. High pointer for Haskell was Janis Jones with 27 points.

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Pipers Upset Dope Bucket to Defeat Seymour 51 to 45

Coach Harrell Blackburn's Pied Piper basketball crew upset the dope bucket Friday night when they tripped the fast Seymour Panther crew 51 to 45 in a tilt played on the Hamlin court.

Seymour's B squad eked out a 38 to 33 victory over the second stringers of Hamlin. The Hamlin B crew was ahead 19 to 16 at the half, but they lagged behind in the last two periods to drop the encounter.

The Pipers held the lead all the way. Don Adair played all over the court to lead the scoring for the locals with 20 points, but he could not keep step with Billy Ryan of the Panthers, who bucketed 31 marks in the game. Bill Murff was second high pointer for the Pipers, looping 15 marks.

The A game box score:

Hamlin A—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Don Adair, f.....	10	0	20
Bill Murff, f.....	5	5	15
Dee Prewitt, c.....	3	2	8
John Richey, g.....	2	2	6
Ed Shields, g.....	1	0	2
Totals.....	21	9	51

The B game box score:

Hamlin B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Billy Ryan, f.....	12	7	31
Martin, f.....	0	2	2
Plummer, c.....	1	1	3
Styles, g.....	1	1	2
Moss, g.....	1	0	2
Winn, c.....	2	0	4
Totals.....	17	11	45

Charles Jenkins was high pointer for the game and the Pipers with 12 points in the B game. Lanier Foster was second high with nine marks. For Seymour Gaylock was high with ten, followed by Rogers who accounted for nine marks.

The B game box score:

Hamlin B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Lanier Foster, f.....	3	3	9
Charles Jenkins, f.....	5	2	12
Bob Martin, c.....	1	0	2
Marcus Fletcher, g.....	0	3	3
Don Rose, g.....	3	1	7
Totals.....	12	9	33

The B game box score:

Seymour B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Morris, f.....	2	2	6
Rogers, f.....	3	3	9
Hamilton, g.....	3	2	8
Clark, g.....	0	2	2
Chandler, g.....	3	1	7
Gaylock, f.....	3	4	10
Totals.....	12	14	38

A Girls Play Anson, B Squad in Tourney

Girls' cage teams of Hamlin High School have a busy week-end on tap Friday and Saturday, it is announced by Coach Dora Mitchell.

The A team plays Anson Friday night in a district game there, and a hard fought battle is anticipated.

The B team has a tournament slated at Rotan for the week-end. They play Aspermont Friday afternoon at 2:15 in an opening round game.

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SQUEAKY GOES RIDING—Squeaky, a six point white tailed buck, who is the family pet of the Bill Dowdys, positions himself in the back seat of the family automobile as he prepares to go for a ride. Squeaky also enjoys the run of the Dowdy store and grounds near Kerrville.

Major Improvements in Hunting and Fishing Facilities Planned for Texas

Sportsmen of the Hamlin area are interested in recent movement by the Texas Game and Fish Commission to make improvements in hunting and fishing facilities of the state.

The commission this week moved at Austin to simultaneously expedite a new hunting and fishing program and to raise the money needed to finance.

Meeting by coincidence the day after Governor Price Daniel envisioned a vast state recreational undertaking within the Game and Fish Commission framework, the commission advanced proposals designed:

To extend present hunting and fishing areas; immediately effectuate major parts of its ambitious long range wildlife restoration plan; completely overhaul the entire license fee structure to raise the needed money.

Some of the costlier projects include state-wide fresh water lake renovation, coastal fish passes as a means of enhancing salt water fishing, broad big game and upland game restocking, and wildlife management area expansion with emphasis on public hunting to harvest surplus game on the areas.

Chairman Herbert J. Frenshley of Houston said it was up to the commission to advise the Legislature, the sanctioning body, as to what financing is required and how to raise the money. Ultimately, it was moved to add a new all-inclusive game license costing \$5.50, covering deer, turkey, antelope and such, to the present \$2.15 license, which would be exclusively for small game such as upland game, ducks, doves, squirrels and the like.

After Commissioner W. T. Scarborough of Kenedy pointed out that Texas has the lowest fishing and hunting licenses in the nation and "the greatest number of exemptions," the commission authorized drafting of a new bill with

Hamlin A and B Cagers Drop Two Games to Haskell

Hamlin High School A and B boys' basketball teams dropped encounters to cagers from Haskell when the Indians came over Tuesday night of last week to try out the new HHS gymnasium. The Pied Piper A crew lost their tilt by a 26 to 38 count, and the B string was trimmed by a 31 to 47 count.

In the A game Bob Camp led the scoring for Haskell and the tilt with 12 points, and Rodney Brown looped 10 marks for the Indians. Don Adair was high scorer for the Pipers with 10.

The A game box score:

Hamlin A—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Bill Murff, f.....	0	3	3
Dee Prewitt, c.....	0	3	3
John Richey, g.....	2	0	4
Davey Weaver, g.....	2	2	6
Don Adair, f.....	5	0	10
Totals.....	9	8	26

The B game box score:

Hamlin B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
David Duncan, f.....	1	0	2
Robert Starr, f.....	3	2	8
Rodney Brown, c.....	3	4	10
Pat Henry, g.....	0	2	2
John Clifton, g.....	0	0	0
Chester Jones, f.....	1	1	2
Bob Camp, f.....	5	1	12
Neely, g.....	0	1	1
Totals.....	13	12	38

In the B tilt Lanier Foster was high pointer for Hamlin with 12 marks, and Charles Jenkins was second high with 10.

Box score for Hamlin in the B game follows:

Hamlin B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Lanier Foster, f.....	5	2	12
Charles Jenkins, f.....	2	6	10
Bob Martin, c.....	1	1	3
Tobe Shields, g.....	0	1	1
Marcus Fletcher, g.....	0	1	1
Totals.....	8	11	31

DePriest Boys Play in Big Spring Tourney

DePriest Colored School's rambling Steer basketball crew will go to Big Spring Saturday to participate in the district basketball tournament that will determine the area's entry in the state cage tournament next week-end at Prairie View College.

Coach Roosevelt Jones' boys will be strong contenders for the title as they meet other Central West Texas teams on the courts.

Teams are entered in the district tournament from Sweetwater, Colorado City, Ballinger, Coleman, Hamlin, Crane, Pecos and McCamey.

DePriest Cagers Lose Two Tilts at Lubbock

Basketball teams from DePriest Colored School last both ends of a double bill last Friday night as they played boys' and girls' teams at Lubbock.

The Steers, coached by Roosevelt Jones, lost their tilt by 50 to 75 count. The girls' lost their game by a 33 to 35 score.

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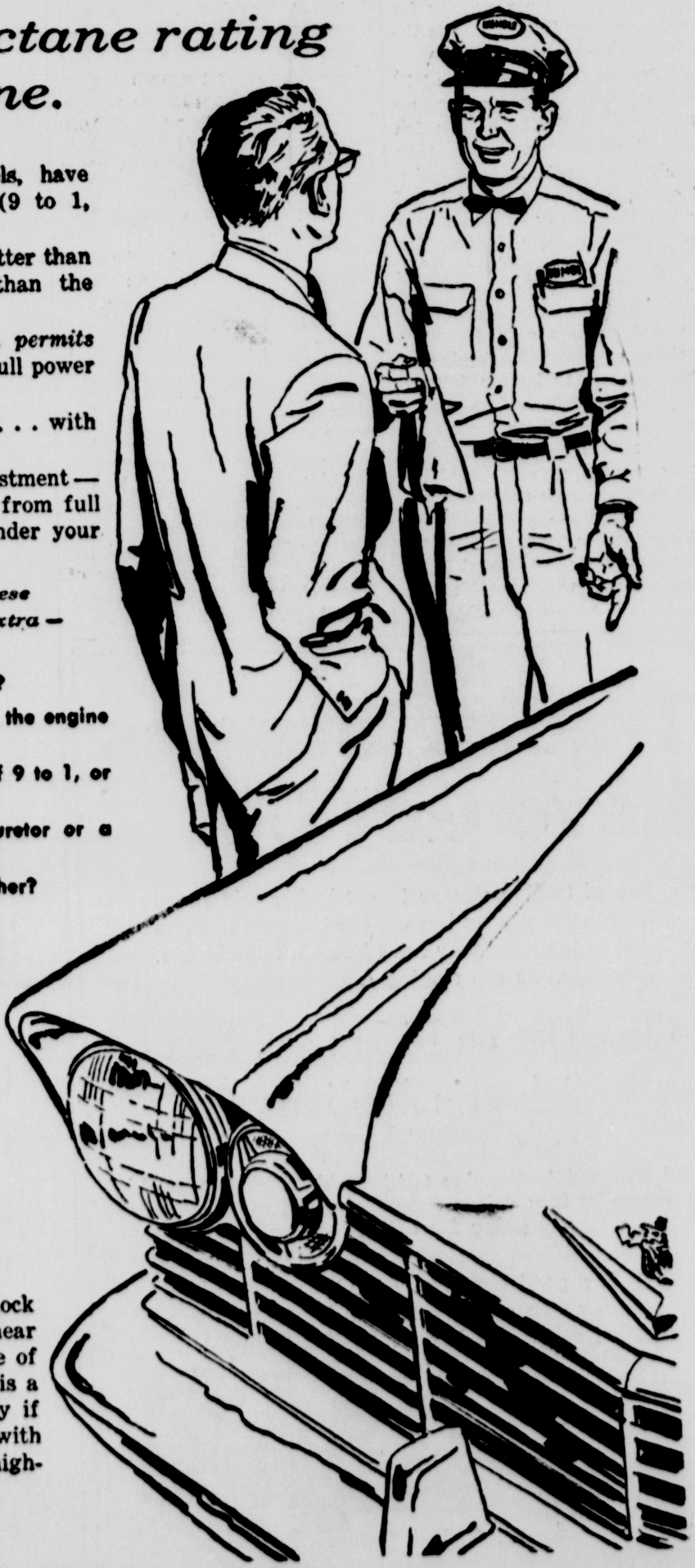
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Freshmen Lead High School Classes Making Third Six-Week Honor Roll

Freshmen led the classes of Hamlin High School making the honor roll for the third six-week period of the school term with 27 on the list. Seniors were second with 25, sophomores third with 23, and the juniors brought up the rear with 19.

The complete honor roll, as released this week by Principal B. V. Newberry, by classes, follows:

Seniors: All As—Ginger Means, Elizabeth Norton and Gene Steele; A average—Cel Albritton, Janis Crowley, Joy Crawford, Georgia McDowell and Mary Ann Willbanks; B honor roll—Don Adair, Carolyn Barnett, Jimmy Black-

well, Ruby Campbell, Linda Carlton, Joe Cowan, Hazel Crew, Jay Cunningham, Doug Ford, Mary Jo Hubbard, George Huling, Lavada Telchelman, Jerry Jay, Mac Reid, Dee Prewitt, Davey Weaver and Sonny Winegeart.

Juniors: All As—Deloris Carter, Virgil Wilson and Sara Kay Fomby; A average—Pat Brown, Everett Gibson, Joyce Grimm, Billy Murff, Elva Siburt and Joe Stephens; B honor roll—Don Drummond, Bob Haynes, Whynama Hayes, Joyce Hines, Donna Kidd, Donna McGuire, Renee Moore, Emma Payne, Benita Smith and Bette Teague.

Sophomores: All As—Jerry Carlton; A average—Mike Brandon, Jerry Crowley, Eddie Gabriel, Shirley Griffin, Dudley Griggs, Roy Houghton, Libby Johnson, Judy Parker, Ginger Rabjohn and Gloria Rodgers; B honor roll—Wesley Acklin, Boyce Blankinship, Barbara Connolly, Wyvonne Conner, Patricia Branscum, George Jenkins, Linnie Johnson, Louise Lakey, Ted Maser, Bryan Sheldburne, Don Shivers and Teddy Westmoreland.

Freshmen: All As—Arlon Batze, Barbara Cheshire, Cynthia Patterson and Iona Seaton; A average—Patricia Bigham, Durwood Boyd, Victor Criswell, Peggy Dodd, Sam Hodges, Brenda Fincannon, Lana Lancaster, Linda Perry, Ann Rich-ey, Terry Scott, Carol Simpson and Tobe Shields; B honor roll—Tommy Bonds, Geneva Brinegar, Linda Carter, Beth Cochran, Ronnie Dodd, Ronny Fleckenstein, Dwight Griggs, Phyllis Hollis, Carol Nunley, Ken Prewitt and Steve Stephens.

Stamford Guard Unit Gets Excellent Rating

Company M, Stamford National Guard unit of the 142nd Infantry, will be awarded a silver certificate for rating excellent on the annual inspection held October 4.

Fourteen men of the Hamlin area are members of the Stamford unit, of which First Lieutenant Joe Ford of Hamlin is 81st mortar platoon leader.

Report from the inspection has been received and the certificate will be presented at a later date. Battalion Commander Lieutenant Colonel Ralph Kreiger of Abilene will make the presentation.

The company has a strength of some 80 enlisted men and has places for several others, says Captain James Lindsey, commanding officer.

Washington's estate at Mount Vernon comprised 2,700 acres.



TOP EXECUTIVES—Texas Governor-elect Price Daniel (left) and Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey have an informal chat in Austin as they attended a coffee given by the Texas Bar Association. Daniel, resigning U. S. senator, and Ramsey, re-elected, took their offices following the inaugural ceremonies in Austin last week.

PROOF OF A SORT.

A lady riding on a bus turned to her friend and said, "I forgot to pay my fare when I got on."
"Save your money," said her friend. "The bus driver didn't notice you."
"No, I found that honesty always pays," said the first lady, and went up to pay the driver.
"See, I told you that honesty always pays," she said when she returned. "I handed the bus driver a quarter and he gave me change for a half dollar."

Longest Korean truce negotiation talks lasted two years and 17 days, with 575 meetings.

GOOD BULL CARE PAYS.

Conditioning or range bulls before they are turned into the breeding herd is an important factor in securing a high percentage of calf crop, according to California Extension Farm Advisor Roy V. Parker. He adds, "If bulls have been grazing on dry range all summer and are not in good flesh, they should be supplemented with a protein supplement such as cottonseed meal and fed a liberal amount of alfalfa hay."

Another frightening thought about a war with H-bombs: It would kill even more people than have been run down in traffic.

Rainfall Deficiency in State Last Year Ranged from 5.38 to 23.10 Inches

Rainfall for the Hamlin area, as recorded by the government rain gauge operated by Bill Rountree at the city water pump station, last year totaled 8.86 inches, which was 10.40 inches less than the 15-year average of 19.26-inch for the local records.

This deficiency from normal, however, was not as great as for the state as a whole, according to a comparison made last week-end by The Herald with records supplied by the U. S. Weather Bureau at Austin.

No rain fell over the entire state during the first half of the month of December except for some one-inch rains at a few upper coastal stations on the 14th and 15th of December.

A change in weather, according to the monthly survey just completed by the state climatologist of the U. S. Weather Bureau at Austin, brought general soaking rains to the eastern two-thirds of the state on December 18. Rains of one inch or more were reported in the area northeast of a line through Corpus Christi, San Antonio, Abilene and Wichita Falls. Heaviest amounts fell in the coastal plains from Palacios (8.93 inches) to Beaumont (8.46 inches) and as far inland as Austin. No effective rains fell during the rest of the month.

Precipitation recorded at U. S. Weather Bureau first order stations is shown in the following table:

Station—	Dec. Rain	Month Normal	Diff.	Total thru 1956	Deficiency thru Dec. 31, 1956
Abilene	.98	1.37	-.39	9.78	-12.81
Amarillo	Trace	.67	-.67	9.94	-11.21
Austin	2.76	2.71	.05	15.41	-19.86
Brownsville	.05	2.16	-2.11	16.74	-12.85
Corpus Christi	.90	2.27	-1.37	21.73	-6.33
Dallas	2.34	2.62	-.28	21.75	-12.76
Del Rio	.07	.88	-.81	4.34	-14.28
El Paso	.64	.49	.15	5.44	-2.40
Fort Worth	2.08	2.48	-.40	18.55	-15.23
Galveston	6.15	4.26	1.89	22.19	-23.10
Houston	5.11	4.63	.48	31.67	-13.79
Laredo	.26	1.44	-1.18	9.95	-9.58
Lubbock	.30	.66	-.36	10.83	-8.08
Midland	.27	.75	-.48	9.62	-6.61
Port Arthur	12.47	5.47	7.00	43.15	-12.20
San Angelo	.49	1.13	-.64	7.41	-12.45
San Antonio	1.10	1.92	-.82	14.31	-13.67
Victoria	2.30	3.07	-.77	17.95	-17.79
Waco	1.94	2.74	-.80	15.15	-17.90
Wichita Falls	1.50	1.47	.03	15.51	-17.90
Lake Charles, La.	10.43	5.76	4.67	39.37	-18.45
Shreveport, La.	1.54	4.83	-3.29	34.01	-11.22

KNEW SOMETHING.

Teacher—"Tell us all you know about nitrates."
Student—"I don't know much about them except they're cheaper than day rates."

Jesse M. Kelly, Brother of Hamlin Men, Dies in Crash

Jesse Marion Kelly, 43-year-old oil field unit operator who made his home in Hamlin, and brother of two Hamlin men, was killed Monday afternoon about 2:10 o'clock when his automobile was in collision with a state highway department truck 15.4 miles west of Albany on U. S. Highway 180.

Investigating officers said Kelly was killed when his 1956 Chevrolet rounded a slight curve and ran off the shoulder, then whipped the auto back across the road into the highway department truck.

An occupant of the truck, Floyd Burge, 44, of Albany, sustained several broken ribs and a possible broken collar bone.

Kelly was alone in his auto. Kelly was born at Covington, Hill County, on October 10, 1913. He had lived in Hamlin since 1929. He married the former Thelma Stephenson at Hamlin in 1947. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Hamlin First Methodist Church. Officiating was the pastor, Rev. Darris L. Egger, assisted by Rev. Orion Lewis of Georgetown, Rev. Henry C. Adair and Rev. Carl Poole of Hamlin.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were J. W. Frazier, Calvin Luttrell, James Brandon, Holly Toler, Cecil Brown and Elbert Payne.

Survivors include the mother, Mrs. Florence Calvert of Snyder; the widow, Mrs. Thelma Kelly of Hamlin; one son, Tony Lynn of Hamlin; a daughter, LaQuita Joy of Hamlin; and two brothers, Roy Kelly of Hamlin and Horace Kelly of Snyder.

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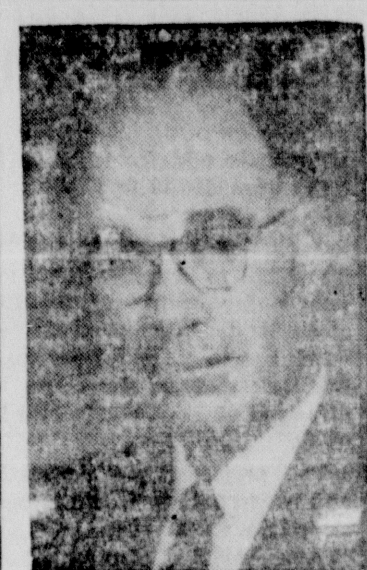
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HEART FUND LEADER—Dr. E. N. Jones, president of Texas Technological College at Lubbock (above), will serve as chairman of the Texas Heart Fund for 1957. Annual campaign of the Texas Heart Association for funds with which to combat the nation's No. 1 killer-disease will be conducted during the month of February.

Tech President Heads Drive for Heart Fund

Announcement of the acceptance by Dr. E. N. Jones, president of Texas Technological College at Lubbock, as chairman of the Texas Heart Fund for 1957 was made by Howard Walker of Lubbock, chairman of the board, and Dr. D. D. Warren of Waco, president of the Texas Heart Association.

In accepting the chairmanship of the 1957 Texas Heart Fund, Dr. Jones pointed out that "diseases of the heart and circulation constitute the leading health problem of our times, and must be fought with every resource at our command."

Annual drive for funds will be conducted during February.

GOOD DEMONSTRATION.

Son—"Father, what is tact?"
Father—"That, my boy, is what prevents a gray haired man from reminding a youthful looking woman with a complexion like a rose that they were school chums together."

Notice of Election on Road Bonds

The State of Texas, County of Jones:

To the resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

Take notice that an election will be held in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, on the 25th day of February, 1957, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners Court on the 25th day of January, 1957, which is as follows:

AN ORDER
Calling an election on the proposition of the issuance of \$60,000.00 of bonds by Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas.

Whereas, there has been presented to this Court the petition of J. S. Inzer and more than 50 other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, on the question of the issuance of \$60,000.00 of road bonds, filed said petition was heretofore filed in this Court; and

Whereas, heretofore on the 9th day of January, 1957, the Commissioners Court passed an order fixing a time and place for a hearing on said petition, to-wit: January 25, 1957, and directed the county clerk to issue a notice of such time and place of hearing to inform all persons concerned of their rights to appear at such hearing and to contend for or protest against the order of such election; and

Whereas, the county clerk has heretofore duly executed said notice by posting true copies of said order of hearing in three public places within said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and another copy thereof at the courthouse door of said county for 10 days prior to the date fixed for the hearing, and said notice has also been published in newspapers of general circulation in said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, namely The Hamlin Herald one time on the 17th day of January, 1957, and The Stamford American one time on the 17th day of January, 1957, being at least five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing; and

Whereas, this Court, having met at the time and place set for the hearing of said petition, proceeded to hear such petition and all matters in respect to the proposed bond election, to hear the contentions for and protest against the calling of such election, and it is found by the Court that the said petition is signed by at least fifty (50) of the qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and that the notice required by law to be given of said hearing has been given; and

Whereas, pursuant to the hearing held on said date and from the evidence submitted at said hearing, the Court has determined that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in such Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Jones County in the amount of \$60,000.00 for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, including particularly the purchase of right-of-way, and that said election should be ordered; and

Whereas, the Commissioners Court further finds that the amount of said proposed bond issue, together with all outstanding bonds heretofore issued on the faith and credit of Road District No. 1 of Jones County will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said district; and

Whereas, said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, has heretofore been legally created by order of the Commissioners Court duly entered on the 1st day of April, 1924;

Therefore, be it ordered by the Commissioners Court of Jones County, Texas:

1. That an election be held in said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, on the 25th day of February, 1957, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine:

Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$60,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, and maturing at such

time as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court serially or otherwise in not to exceed fifteen (15) years from the date thereof for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, including particularly the purchase of right-of-way, and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said Road District sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturities."

2. The terms and bounds of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, are set forth in the order fixing time and place of hearing on the petition for the issuance of bonds which was passed on the 9th day of January, 1957.

3. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the first called session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature.

4. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this state and of this district who own taxable property in the district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote, and all such electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written, or printed on their ballots the words: "For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

5. That said election shall be held at each of the following voting places within Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas:

In Voting Precinct No. 17 at the Schoolhouse, Lueders, Texas, with the following officials: C. A. Thornton, presiding judge; Mrs. S. W. Seamon, assistant judge; Mrs. F. D. Purcell, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 29 at the Lutheran Church House, Swenson, Texas, with the following officials: Lambert W. Stacholm, presiding judge; A. H. Lundgren, assistant judge; C. H. Peterson, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 9 at the Schoolhouse, Tuxedo, Texas, with the following officials: Mrs. Lou Polnac, presiding judge; Mrs. Oran Brigham, assistant judge; Mrs. J. K. French, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 19 at the City Hall, Hamlin, Texas (East Hamlin box), with the following officials: Tom Routh, presiding judge; E. L. Jenkins Sr., assistant judge; Mrs. Burns Eakin, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 3 at the First Methodist Church, Hamlin, Texas (West Hamlin box), with the following officials: Miss Lennie Greenway, presiding judge; L. H. McBride, assistant judge; J. E. Patterson, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 11 at the Schoolhouse, Avoca, Texas, with the following officials: H. E. Culwell, presiding judge; Mrs. M. J. Sublett, assistant judge; Mrs. L. W. Larson, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 25 at the High School, Gymnasium, Stamford, Texas (East Stamford box), with the following officials: R. R. Kelley, presiding judge; George Zachary, assistant judge; Mrs. Mattie Haynes, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 10 at the City Hall, Stamford, Texas (West Stamford box), with the following officials: Mrs. Dave Walker, presiding judge; Mrs. Jack Jones, assistant judge; Mrs. J. L. Woodson, clerk.

6. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of this state regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, acts of the first called session of the 39th Legislature heretofore cited.

7. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper of general circulation in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas for three successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto, there shall be posted copies of this order at three public places in said district, and one at the courthouse door of the county for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

8. The county clerk is hereby ordered and directed to post said notices and to cause same to be published as hereinabove directed. Further orders by this Court are reserved until the returns of said election executed by the duly authorized election officers are received by this Court.

Passed and approved this 25th day of January, 1957.—H. G. Andrews Jr., County Judge, Jones County, Texas. Attest: Gene Spurgin, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court, Jones County, Texas.

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Numbers of Livestock on Market Dros But Prices Generally Hold Up Well

Numbers of livestock at Fort Worth dropped sharply below a week ago due to icy weather over much of the territory, and prices Monday reflected strength through most of the grades and classes of livestock offered, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter of The Herald, in his weekly release, which continues:

Fed steers and yearlings were strong to 50 cents higher, and slaughter calves ruled strong to 25 or 50 cents up. Stockers were very scarce, and strong. Cows and bulls ruled full ysteady.

Fed steers and yearlings of good and choice grades cashed at \$17 to \$20, and fed heifers ranged from \$19 downward. Medium and lower grades sold from \$12 to \$16. Fat cows drew \$11.50 to \$13.50 and canners and cutters cashed at \$8 to \$11.50. Bulls were reported from \$10 to \$15.

Good and choice fat calves cashed at \$15 to \$19; and medium and lower grades scored \$10 to \$15. Stocker steer calves were quotable from \$20 down, and steer yearlings around \$18 down.

Good and choice wooled fat lambs sold from \$18 to \$19.25, and a few club lambs sifted from the stock show topped at \$19.50 at Fort Worth Monday. Shorn lambs of choice grades and with No. 1 skin sold from \$18.50 down, and No. 2 skin lambs sold from \$17.50 down. Cull to medium lambs sold from \$12 to \$16.50.

Stocker and feeder lambs of good and choice grades cashed at \$16.50 to \$17.50, feeders at \$17.50 having No. 1 pelts. Full wooled feeders were considered quotable to \$18. Old ewes sold from \$6 to \$8. Old bucks sold from \$5 to \$6. Old wethers were quotable from \$10 to \$12, and yearlings and two-year-old muttons were quotable around \$14 to \$16.

Hogs at Fort Worth last week went through the wildest gyrations in months by advancing \$1 or more per 100 through mid-week, and then losing the advance in the closing days of the week to sell in a "spread" of around \$1 to \$1.50.

This wide swing followed several weeks of extremely narrow changes in the hog prices from day to day. On Monday at Fort Worth there was some indication that more activity was due in this sector as butcher hogs climbed 50 cents above the previous week's close, but sows were barely steady. Choice butcher hogs opened at \$19.25 and \$19.50, and less dis-

able kinds sold from \$16 to \$18. Sows drew \$15.50 to \$16.50.

Preliminary draft of the proposed bill to bring livestock markets under control of the Livestock Sanitary Commission of Texas, as well as to set up a sales tax on livestock sold in the state, was displayed at Fort Worth late last week.

The projected new legislation, still not in final form, lifts the tax on cattle to 10 cents per head. Calves over two months old also would be taxed 10 cents per head, and "veal calves" under two months old would pay two cents per head. Horses were to be taxed 20 cents per head and swine three cents. Sheep or goats would face a levy of one cent.

Under the provisions of the proposed bill, as shown, the previously advocated 10 cents per ton tax on feed would be discarded, with this development apparently stemming from the practically universal opposition presented in recent hearings concerning the feed tax in Austin.

This factor is credited with creating the suggested higher tax on cattle and most calves. Earlier Commission Chairman Frank Scofield had suggested five cents per head check-off on cattle, sold either in terminal markets or through auction rings, the money to help finance the Livestock Sanitary Commission's operations.

Scofield was due to address the annual meeting of the Texas Livestock Auction and Commission Sales Association in Waco last week, but bad weather prevented his appearance. At this meeting the proposed bill was discussed briefly by this writer, and the apparently discriminatory features were pointed up. Best available figures reveal that, if applied in its present form, 50 per cent of the livestock sold in Texas would escape paying their share.

Presently 245 of Texas' 254 counties are under drought disaster relief, and considerable opposition to a special tax on stockmen hit by the worst natural disaster ever to strike the state has been heard here.

The proposed bill is not alone an animal health measure, but would set a commission up as the regulatory body on scales and weighing of livestock, as well as policing market practices, bonds, and trade rules, a much wider field than the agency had ever covered before.

Drive safely! Many tombstones are carved by traffic chisellers.



INTENT LISTENER—George Parr (left) is an intent listener at his trial in New Braunfels, where he is charged with theft of furs from the Benavides School District. With Parr is Luther F. Jones Jr. of Corpus Christi, one of his attorneys.

Celotex Official Sees Fair Volume of Building and Repairs During 1937

The Celotex Corporation in the fiscal year ended October 31, 1936, had sales of \$76,467,119, a new high for the fourth consecutive year. O. S. Mansell, president, told stockholders in the company's annual report released last week at Chicago.

Earnings were \$3,902,284, after all charges and provisions for taxes on income, an increase of 16 per cent over earnings for the year before of \$5,081,643.

After preferred dividend requirements, 1936 earnings were equal to \$6.42 a share on 878,651 shares of common stock outstanding at year end, compared with \$5.49 a share the preceding year on the same number of shares.

"It is possible that the volume of new housing, which declined substantially in 1936, may suffer further declines due principally to the tightening of loan conditions by its institutional and private lenders on new homes," Mansell said. "Also a factor is the unavailability of sufficient buyers of FHA and VA loan paper at the maximum rate of return now permitted for such loans."

The Celotex president further stated: "Continually increasing productive capacity in our industry, planned to keep pace with the economy, coinciding with the lowered housing volume, has resulted, since early last fall in more materials being available than those required to meet current demands. This situation creates stiffer competitive conditions and the need for even greater emphasis on service to customers."

Mansell said the company expects the following in 1937: A reasonably good volume of new housing; a continued high volume of new commercial and institutional

construction; a strong demand for materials used in repair and remodeling activities, which, for the most part, are not dependent on long term financing; an increasing use of Celotex products for non-construction purposes; and increased demand for acoustical materials. He added, "we are entering the new year in a strong competitive position which should enable us to get our full share of the market. Nevertheless, under prevailing conditions, we are faced with the prospect of a reduced volume of sales and earnings."

Hamlin Young Men Get Degrees at UT

Two Hamlin young men are among University of Texas students who will receive degrees on January 30. No public graduation exercises will be conducted, it is announced, for the mid-term graduates.

Ben Wesley Niedecken Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Niedecken of Hamlin, will receive a degree in law. Joe Carroll Foster will receive a degree in mechanical engineering.

WANTED SPECIAL CARD.

A little boy had been pawing over a stationer's stock of greeting cards for a long time when a clerk asked him:

"Can I help you find what you are looking for, son? Birthday card? Get-well card?"

"You got anything in the line of blank report cards?" the boy asked wistfully.

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Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Martha Alice Lovell, surgery, January 20; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, medical, January 19; Sara Key Fomby, medical, January 21; Kathy Suggs of Aspermont, surgery, January 21; Mrs. Lewis Wright of Roscoe, surgery, January 21; Debra Blanton, surgery, January 21; Mary Margaret Maberry, medical, January 21; Arlene Forbes of Longworth, medical, January 22; Mrs. Douglas Woolf, surgery, January 21; Nola Davis, medical, January 22; Mrs. Andy Bundas, medical, January 21; Mrs. J. M. Allen of Aspermont, medical, January 21; Lee Smart of McCaulley, medical, January 24; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, medical, January 23; E. W. Gregg, medical, January 22; Sheila Stone, surgery, January 24; Mrs. U. L. Lee, ob., January 23; George Watson of Aspermont, medical, January 24; Leo Parker, medical, January 24; Floyd Winslett, medical, January 26; Mrs. E. A. Money, surgery, January 25; Mrs. Olen Sego of Aspermont, medical, January 25; Anna Mae Childress, medical, January 26.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. T. A. Jean, January 15; Mrs. Roy Galloway of Aspermont, January 21; Gwen Sanderlin, January 20; Ran-George Raney, January 21; Dedy Trammell of Aspermont, January 18; Mrs. W. D. Bristow, January 24; Mrs. Joe Stephens, January 21; Mrs. J. T. Mehaffey of McCaulley, January 21; Mrs. B. M. Robinson of McCaulley, January 20; Mrs. R. T. Woodrow, January 21; Mrs. M. S. Payne of Aspermont, January 26; J. C. Peters of Roby, January 20; S. P. Houghton, January 19; Mrs. Billy Joe Jordan, January 26; Mrs. J. E. Crow Jr., January 24; Mrs. Farnin Lujan, January 21; Martha Alice Lovell, January 26; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, January 20; Mrs. Lewis Wright of Roscoe, January 22; Debra Blanton, January 23; Mary Margaret Maberry, January 25; Mrs. Douglas Woolf, January 25; Mrs. Andy Bundas, January 25; Mrs. J. M. Allen of Aspermont, January 22; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, January 23.

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William Pilgrim Killed in Tuesday Crash at Midland

Funeral services for William Pilgrim Jr., 33-year-old employee of an Abilene bakery, and former resident of Hamlin, were conducted Thursday afternoon at Abilene.

Pilgrim was killed last Tuesday morning when his delivery truck hit a small bridge and crashed into a draw a mile east of Midland. He was making his regular run for Sunshine Biscuits Inc. of Abilene when the accident occurred about 6:40 a. m. His run extended from Abilene to Midland.

Pilgrim had lived in Abilene for 10 years, going there from Hamlin. He had been employed by the bakery firm since last July.

Born April 24, 1924, at Floydada, he had lived at Hamlin with his parents. During World War II he was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

He married the former Vaudine Dunn of Hamlin at Anson in 1942. They and their two sons, Roy, 12, and Ernie, eight, lived at 625 Locust Street.

Survivors include his wife and sons; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pilgrim Sr. of Hamlin; four sisters, Mrs. J. D. Beeson of Spearman, Mrs. A. T. Woodson and Mrs. Sunshine Howard, both of Houston, and Mrs. Marie Sneed of Hale Center; and a brother, Bob, who is with the Army Air Force overseas.

Actual Work to Start On Hospital Soon

Actual work on the new \$60,000 addition to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital is due to be started this week-end or early next week, it was announced Wednesday by W. L. Fletcher, president of the hospital association.

The new addition, picture of which will be printed in next week's Herald, will be a 148x37-foot east wing to the present \$115,000 hospital plant. Facing east, it will provide a new entrance to the hospital, and house doctors' offices and clinical laboratories and equipment.

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Nienda Polio Party Raises \$32 for MOD

Women of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club staged a polio party last Friday night at the Nienda community center.

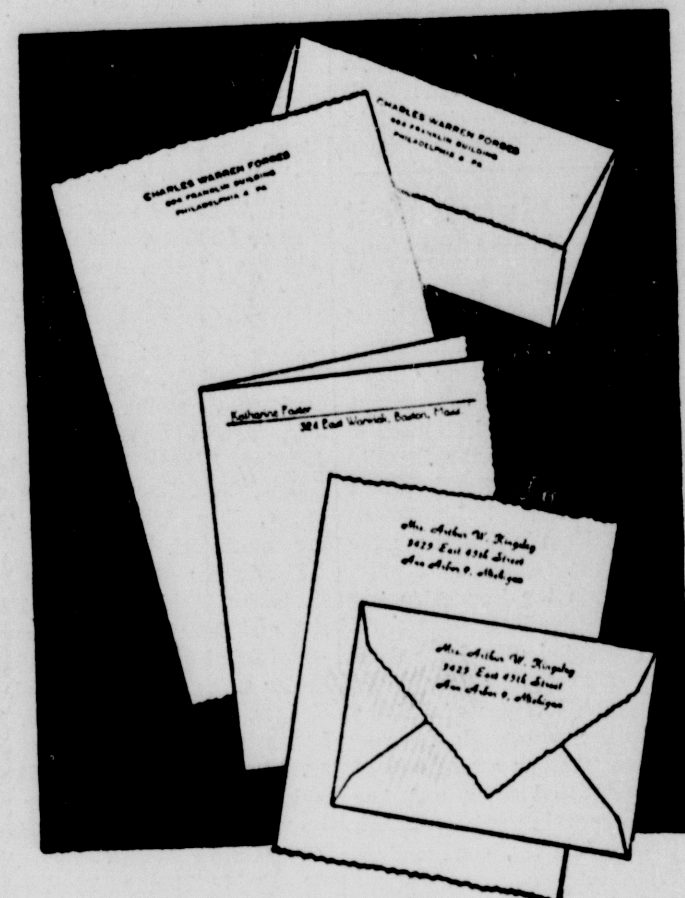
Games were staged, and contributions at the close of the game session totaled \$32, which were given to the March of Dimes.

TIME TO CHEER.

"Who are those people who are cheering?" asked the recruit as the soldiers marched to the train. "Those," replied the veteran, "are the people who are not going."

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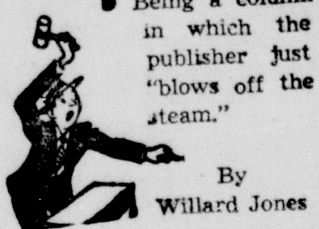
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SAVE TIME - JUST CALL

The Hamlin Herald



THE ED DODD household is rejoicing this week following the recovery last week of a wedding set of diamond rings which Mrs. Dodd had feared had gone the way of travelers.

In fact, the rings did take quite a trip—to California and back. Several days ago, while Mr. and Mrs. Dodd were in Abilene, she went into the rest room of a service station to wash her hands. She removed the rings, valued at more than \$300, and laid them on the window sill of the rest room. When she left the room she forgot to pick up her rings.

It was not until the couple had returned to Hamlin that the rings were missed. The service station was telephoned . . . but, no, the rings had not been turned in, and they were not in the rest room, they were informed.

Several days later, the service station owner received a letter from a woman in California. She told him she had found something of value in his service station several days previously. She would gladly return the item upon its being identified. The Dodds were telephoned by the station owner, and within an hour the California woman was contacted by telephone. The rings were identified, and the finder returned them.

The California woman explained the reason she had not turned the rings in when she found them was that only a boy was on duty at the time.

CIRCUMSTANCES make a difference with many a person's action. A Hamlin housewife who leans a little toward jealousy of her husband's action around the opposite sex, agrees with a woman poet who says:

Some men are always
Polite and dutiful
Provided, of course,
The lady is beautiful!

THEN THERE was the story of the shy young fellow from Stamford who approached the Hamlin father recently . . .

"Calm down, son," said the father of the marriageable daughter to the fidgeting young man. "I bet you want to marry my daughter and you're shy about asking for her. Well, take her, my boy; marry her, and good luck to you."

"Oh, no, it wasn't that, Mr. Smith," the author answered. "I just wondered if you could lend me \$10."

"Lend you \$10?" exploded Dad. "I should say not! Why, I hardly know you!"

A CHINESE missionary, records the weekly bulletin of the First Methodist Church, was passing out printed invitations to attend church in a Mississippi town when a service station attendant confronted him with the question, "Why go to church?"

"Why does the automobile come to this service station?" the Chinese asked. Then answering his own question, "They come because they have a real need for the things offered here—gasoline, oil, water, air and battery attention. If cars do not have these attentions, they cannot operate well."

Whether you are a millionaire industrialist or an unemployed laborer, you need what the church has to offer. How many check marks are there on your "attendance card" so far?

HAL COCHRAN still is one of our favorite columnists. He continues to write such pithy paragraphs as these in The Fort Worth Press:

You'll never get there as long as "tehrs" is always a place you wish you were.

Sweet nothings spoken by a youth to his girl friend often have an engagement ring.

We'll bet that the December brides never stopped to think how many times dishes have to be washed in a year.

It's okay to have your own opinions if you just remember that they are merely opinions.

The way taxes are, it's hardly worth while for a girl to marry for money.

Watch out when you get in the habit of leaning too heavily on luck. It may give way.

A drug concern official says the public's desire for better health leads to drug sales of about half a billion annually. We think it's worth it.

The fair young girl who is worth a million in her own right doesn't have to look like it.



READY TO HELP, BUT NO CREW—A child's fire truck (arrow) unobtrusively stands by as fire fighting crews battle a blaze that destroyed a home in Denton. Four fire trucks answered the alarm but were unable to halt the blaze before the house was destroyed.

Second Election on \$60,000 Road Bonds Set for Feb. 26

Funds for Better Highway Already Allocated Route

Voters of Road District No. 1, embracing generally the north one-third of Jones County, will go to the polls for the second time on Tuesday, February 26, to express their desires about the issuance of \$60,000 worth of tax bonds for the purpose of purchasing right-of-way for a widened Highway 92 from Hamlin to Stamford.

The election was ordered last Friday when members of the Commissioners Court of the county met in a called session to hear a petition that had been presented by Starr Inzer of Hamlin and some 150 other resident property owning taxpayers of the district. The hearing was called to give any resident to protest against or contend for the election.

Voters of the district previously voted on the proposition on November 20 when the bond issue failed to carry by 16 votes. Proponents contend that many voters favoring the bond issue did not go to the polls because of bad weather and because they felt the election would carry easily.

A majority of voters at Lueders and Avoca voted against the bond issue. Hamlin favored the issue by a 16 to one count.

The bond issue would provide the funds for purchasing additional right-of-way for a widened and straightened Highway 92. State and federal funds for the highway construction have already been allocated for the highway project, right-of-way for which must be provided by the county. The present right-of-way is not wide enough for the improved highway to meet state and federal demands, according to the Texas Highway Commission.

Balloting will be done in boxes at Hamlin, Tuxedo, Stamford, Swenson, Lueders and Avoca.

Jackie Drummond And Dee Prewit Get Air Academy Bids

Nomination of Eugene Dee Prewit, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. (Gene) Prewit of 844 Northwest Second Street, and Jackie Wayne Drummond, son of G. W. Drummond of Route 1, for the United States Air Force Academy, has been announced by Congressman Omar Burleson from Washington.

This nomination qualifies the local young men to compete with the nominees of other Texas congressmen for one of the openings for Texas boys in the next class to be formed at the new academy in Colorado. The Air Force will conduct a series of tests of all nominees and then select a number for admission this coming summer.

Both the young men are now senior students at Hamlin High school.



EVANGELIST for an 11-day series of revival services underway at the Church of the Nazarene that began Wednesday evening is Rev. Joe Norton (above), a resident of Hamlin, who is doing full-time evangelistic work for the denomination in the Southwest. The meeting will continue through Sunday, February 10, says the pastor, Rev. Bill Hanna.

Rev. Joe Norton to Preach in 11-Day Nazarene Revival

Revival services at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene began last night (Wednesday) and will extend through Sunday, February 10, it is announced by the pastor, Rev. Bill Hanna. Rev. Joe Norton, evangelist for nine years in the Church of the Nazarene, is the guest minister. Rev. Norton entered the field of evangelism after 16 years in the pastorate. He has conducted numerous successful campaigns throughout the United States.

Odean Murphree, local choir director, is in charge of the music. Special musical arrangements and combinations are being presented by local talent. Billy Reynolds is in charge of publicity and pre-prayer services.

Each Sunday morning of the revival is being planned as a rally day. A goal of 125 in Sunday School has been set for each Sunday Saturday night, February 9, has been designated as Youth Night, at which time a special emphasis will be placed upon the young people. Wednesday, February 6, has been set aside as Children's Night, and Monday, February 4, as Old Timer's Night.

A nightly count is being taken to determine the number of visitors and members present representing each Sunday School class. The two classes with the highest percentages at the end of the revival will be awarded prizes.

Services begin each evening at 7:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend, says the pastor.

A doctor says love can cause high blood pressure or a stomach ache. No wonder some young couples look sick.

New Telephone Directories Being Distributed Here

New Hamlin telephone directories are now being mailed to subscribers here, Jim Garrett, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company manager, announced today. "The new directory contains approximately 2,040 alphabetical listings," Garrett said.

Old directories should be thrown away as soon as the new issue is received. However, care should be taken to remove any items, items, such as photos, letters and notes, which might have been placed between the pages, the manager advised.

The Hamlin directory has a green cover and contains 12 white or alphabetical pages, and 20 yellow or classified pages. Approximately 2,200 copies of the directory have been printed.

"A number of extra copies are printed as replacements for those used in public telephone booths and other places where much use occurs," Garrett explained.

"The telephone directory," he added, "remains one of the 'best read' books in Hamlin."

You can save time by referring to it if you are not sure of a number or need assistance of any kind. The yellow pages are a convenient listing of almost every business in town, he added.

The most exasperating bore is the one who drops names but won't pick up checks.

County Club Boys Vie for \$1200 in Prizes, Trophies

Hamlin Entries To Total 83, with One Girl Entrant

Entries of Hamlin 4-H Club boys and Future Farmers of America in Saturday's Jones County Club Boys Livestock Show at Hamlin will total 82, a tabulation of the animals and poultry being primed for the show indicated first of the week.

One girl, Ann Johnson, a 4-H Club member, also will have an entry in the event.

Entries by division, as tabulated by show directors first of the week, will be:

Hamlin FFA Boys.

Steers—Gene Murff, DeVaughn Carrigan (two), Marian Carter, Jim Stinnett and Boyce Blankinship.

Breeding Beef Cattle—Dwight Griggs.

Dairy Cattle—Douglas Ford (two), Richard Bruner (two), Carl Weaver, William Cranford.

Breeding Swine—Marian Carter, Sam Hodges and Terry Scott.

Fat Swine—Jerry Crowley, Joe Deel, Tommy Bonds, Otha Ray Brown, Michael Brandon, Linnie Johnson, Douglas Ford, Rae Reid, Steve Reynolds, Davey Weaver and Ronnie Rowland.

Broilers—Steve Reynolds, Tobe Shields, Ted Masser, Wesley Aklin, Davey Weaver, Red Fowler, Clifford Green, Donald Pylon, Roy Houghton, Jesse Houghton and Richie Smith.

Fat Lambs—Ken Prewit, Victor Criswell and Bob Martin.

Hamlin 4-H Club Entries.

Steers—Ray Johnson Jr. and Ann Johnson.

Fat Swine—Warren Reynolds.

Broilers—Van and Dan Newberry.

Capons—Larry Stephens.

State PTA Official to Speak Here Thursday

Mrs. Robert Cross of Anson, state vice president of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, will be the featured speaker at the Founder's Day meeting of the Hamlin Parent-Teacher Association next Thursday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

Theme for the session, to be held at the Primary School cafeteria, will be "We, the People, Achieve Effective Home, School and Community Relations." Students of the first grade will furnish entertainment features.



LIVESTOCK SHOW JUDGES—Two of the judges for Saturday's Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show at Hamlin will be Willard Smith (left) of Texas Tech College, who will judge beef and swine; and Max Stuart of Roby, who will judge dairy and sheep. Marvin Weber will judge poultry.

More Than \$1,000 In Cash Prizes Offered Winners

Club boys of Jones County will be honored guests in Hamlin this week-end when scores of 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America boys bring their animals and poultry here from all corners of the county to exhibit them in the annual Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show.

Site for the show is the big warehouse just east of the office of Midwest Cooperative Oil Mill in Northeast Hamlin. Access to the show is gained by turning north off Highway 92 (to Stamford) at the Rotary and Lions Club signs.

Elaborate preparations for the show have been underway several days under the direction of T. C. Blankinship and Harold V. Eades, vocational agriculture teachers at Hamlin High School, and FFA boys of the school. Officials of the oil mill are offering much assistance in preparing the buildings.

Divisional superintendents for the show, handling sectional details for the show, are: Elbert Payne, Olin Amerson, Art Newcomb and Jack Willingham, beef cattle; James McGough, L. C. Bonds, Jack Vaughan and Callens George, swine; Revis Robertson, Robert Johnson and H. S. Stovall, sheep; W. C. Eoff and W. J. (Jap) Kemp, dairy cattle; H. L. Williams and G. T. Black.

Besides approximately \$1,000 in cash prizes posted for winners of the various divisions, special trophies are being offered for grand championships. Bulk of the prize money is provided by the Chambers of Commerce of Anson, Hamlin and Stamford.

Special trophies are offered by the following individuals, business firms and civic groups: Sam Balze, breeding beef; Hawley Chamber of Commerce, breeding swine; Stamford Lions Club, (two trophies) and Anson Implement Company, breeding sheep; Roy Moritz and V. B. Rowland, dairy cattle; Anson Lions Club (two awards); and Hamlin Farmers & Merchants National Bank, fat lambs; Hamlin Lions Club, fat swine; Hamlin Rotary Club, fat steers; Lueders Chamber of Commerce, broilers; Kimbell-Stamford Company, capons.

All-Night Singing at Dovie Slated Friday

Dovie community church, five miles east of Hamlin on the Stamford highway, will celebrate its fifth year of singing Friday night, February 1, with an all-night singing, community leaders announce. Singing will get started about 7:30 o'clock, and the public is invited to attend.

Plenty of doughnuts and coffee will be on hand for attendees, it is announced.

Who's New This Week

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Greenville are announcing the birth of a son, in a Greenville hospital. Weighing seven pounds five ounces, he has been named Raymond LaFoy. The mother is the former Margot Faye Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaFoy Patterson of Hamlin. Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Shout spent the week-end at Carlsbad, New Mexico, visiting their new twin grandsons, who arrived January 23. They have been named Gary and Terry.

Only one new citizen was recorded at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. The new arrival was: A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Clayton Lee of Hamlin, who was born January 24 at 2:20 a. m. He tipped the scales at nine pounds seven ounces, and has been named Johnny Lynn.



MANAGING EDITORS ELECT NEW OFFICERS—Four of the five new officers of the Texas Associated Press Managing Editors Association examine an AP Photofax Wirephoto receiver following their election at the annual meeting in Galveston. Left to right are: William L. Latham, secretary, managing editor of The El Paso Times; Bill Collins, president, editor of The Midland Reporter Telegram; John Ellis, treasurer, editor of The Fort Worth Star Telegram; and Ed Wishcamper, second vice president, managing editor of The Abilene Reporter News. Felix McKnight, managing editor of The Dallas Morning News, was named first vice president but was not present when the picture was made.

Mothers' March On Polio Slated Thursday Evening

This week Mrs. Wilson Brannon, chairman of the Mothers' March on Polio in Hamlin, has named her co-chairmen and workers for the Mothers' March, scheduled for this (Thursday) evening from 7:00 to 8:00 o'clock.

Start of the march in the residential areas will be announced by the sounding of the fire siren. Citizens are urged to turn on their porch lights, and mothers will call on these houses for contributions.

Co-chairmen for the drive are Mrs. W. S. Seals for Northwest Avenues H, I and J. Workers are Mmes. Ed Lewis, A. J. Hallmark and Bill Davis.

Mrs. Gerald Young, chairman for Northwest Avenues A, B and C. Workers are Mmes. Robert Fowler, Truman Nix, Billy Joe Wilson and Duane Stallcup.

Mrs. M. L. Smith, chairman for Northwest Avenue D, E, F and G. Workers are Mmes. George Poe, L. C. Bonds, Jerry Waggoner and Bill Feagan.

Mrs. John D. Ferguson, chairman for West Lake Drive. Workers are Mmes. Weldon Carlton and E. D. Perrin.

Mrs. Byron Bell for Northeast Avenues A, B and C.

Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. for North Central Avenue.

Mrs. Arlie Cassle for Southwest Avenues A, B, C, D and E. Workers are Mmes. Jack Wicker, J. C. Turner Jr., Delbert Rountree, E. J. Hawkins, Julia Harden and G. L. Feller.

Mrs. Garland Preston, chairman for Southwest Avenues F, G, H, I and J.

South section of town will be worked by Boy Scouts under the direction of Weldon Johnson.

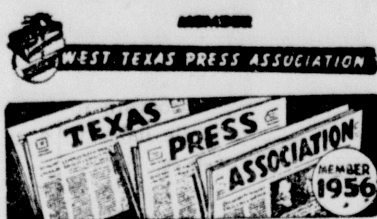
Rev. Darris L. Egger is city chairman for the March of Dimes campaign.

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CLUB BOYS' SHOW IS MAJOR EVENT FOR YOUTH

Hamlin is playing host this week-end to the annual Jones County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show, which rotates between the three major towns of the county. Stamford was host two years ago, and Anson was the site of last year's exhibition.

Being home-base for this outstanding exhibition of fine cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry is an event that should thrill every citizen in any city. So, The Herald extends a hearty welcome to the club boys and girls of the county, their parents, sponsors and other visitors. We hope the visitors will find hospitality and friendliness on every hand.

The Jones County show, which for years has been one of the leading shows of its kind in West Texas, exemplifies the manifestation of a high degree of interest and development of the perfection of fine blooded animals and poultry adapted to this section of the country. The fact that our young men and young women are giving serious thought and much devotion to the club programs are the section's best assurance of improved livestock growing methods for the generations to come.

To be sure, the leadership offered the boys and girls of the county by the county agents, vocational agriculture instructors and other leaders and sponsors is not to be minimized in evaluating the clubbers' program. Our school district are giving outstanding cooperation by their support of the VA programs for

the FFA. Likewise, the county Commissioners Court is cooperating with state and federal agencies in the work with 4-H Club boys and girls.

Prizes for the annual shows are little rewards of appreciation for the time and work and ingenuity put into the development of prize animals and poultry exhibiting during the show. Cash prizes of more than \$1,200 are offered for winners in the show, most of which is provided by the Chambers of Commerce of the three leading Jones County towns. Also assisting in the awards are civic clubs of the three cities as well as some individuals who help provide trophies.

Jones County farmers and others interested in giving encouragement to the boys and girls of the area who are getting fundamental knowledge and practical experience in caring for, feeding and record keeping of prize livestock will see that good crowds attend the show in Hamlin this week-end—just as they have in previous years. The boys and girls deserve the backing that only admiring leaders, parents and friends can give them.

See you in Hamlin this week-end for the annual Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show! You'll be glad you came, and you might be surprised at the prize stock being raised hereabouts despite short crops, drought and other disparaging conditions that exist in this section of the country.

Planned Progress

"What we need in this town is an industry of some sort!" We've all heard that statement or one like it a hundred times over. But how many of our rural communities are really ready to take care of a new industry? How many have facilities such as good schools, available housing, places for recreation, attractive shopping centers, and all the other things management looks for in addition to a factory site?

A program called Planned Progress, which has been operating for several years in Missouri and parts of Iowa and Illinois, is designed to help the smaller communities become more attractive places to live in and work in. It is sponsored by the Missouri Edison, Missouri Power & Light and Union Electric Companies. They help organize the program, and provide coordination, advice and the stimulation of cash awards to spark local effort.

Townpeople in more than 200 communities have participated in the program since 1952. Some of the things they have done include the following: Installed new sidewalks, paved streets, made and installed street signs, carried on supervised recreation program for children, campaigned for bond issues for improved schools and water systems, developed city parks and community centers, organized volunteer fire fighting associations, and organized clean-up campaigns on a community-wide basis.

To quote from an editorial in the Warsaw, Illinois, Bulletin, "Although it isn't possible for an outsider to solve another community's problems, it's certainly possible for an outsider to help a community solve its own problems. And that is exactly the kind of boost we are getting from Planned Progress!"

Are Things Really Better?

People have more money today than they did before World War II. But here are some sobering comparisons: A worker who earned \$3,000 in 1939 needs \$6,122 today to be as well off. The family with a \$5,000 income in 1939 has to have \$10,583 now. And 1939's \$25,000-a-year man was doing just as well as today's executive who brings in around \$68,000 a year.

Taxes and inflation make the difference. No denying it, the dollar has really shrunk.

The Other Man

Seize each opportunity to help the other man. Welcome every chance to do a good turn where you can. Go out of your way to say a word of kindness—something to relieve the strain, the burden and the stress.

Never let a day slip by unmarked by some good thing—a chance of doing something that will lighten someone's load.

You can't go far along life's road before you see a breakdown. The other man—he's always there—the stranger or the friend. You turn around the bend and there he is—a pal in trouble—or an enemy. Help him!

Editorial of the Week

WEST TEXAS BOOK

As a result of cooperation among several West Texas groups and organizations a book on West Texas has been reduced which represents the most exhaustive and extensive inquiry into this region, its past, present and future, ever set down in cold print.

It is called "Tomorrow in West Texas" and it comes from the press of Texas Technological College. The author is Sidney L. Miller Ph.D., school of business administration, University of Pittsburgh, who spent years on the chore.

Sub-title of the book is "Economic Opportunities along the Texas & Pacific Railway," but its scope is not confined to the territory immediately served by that railroad.

As Ray Grisham, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, which had large hand in the movement to produce this study, points out in a letter to this newspaper: "Although the intensive research which preceded the writing of this book was concentrated in the counties contiguous to the Texas & Pacific Railway, the book's contents are applicable, we believe you will agree, to the entire region. It is certainly an analysis of economic potential presented with singular skill."

It is indeed. It also contains a lot of West Texas history bearing on the development of agriculture, commerce and industry in this vast region, its geography, topography and climate.

Here is a book that should prove invaluable as a reference work, and at the same time as a directory and chronicle of West Texas' economic development from a wilderness to its present state of importance in 75 years.—The San Angelo Standard-Times.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Among news items of 20 years ago in the Hamlin community were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 29, 1937:

Helpy-Selfy Grocery advertises the following prices: Hamburger, 10 cents pound; oranges and apples, one cent each; Schillings or Folger's coffee, two pounds for 59 cents.

Mrs. J. C. Culbertson entertained the Tuesday Club at her home this week. Attending were Meses. W. F. Johnson, John T. Day, H. O. Cassie, W. J. Poe and D. O. Sauls and Misses Allie and Pearl Whitely.

Margaret Boyd and Marvin Hampton were united in marriage January 16 at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton. Hampton is a young business man of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Greenway announce the marriage of their daughter, Peggy Irene, to Clifton B. Crowley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Crowley of McCaulley. They were married in Lubbock Saturday.

Fisher County farmers have recently received \$121,486.26 from the government in the plan of soil conservation. The 1936 total will be about \$250,000.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Considered newsworthy in the Hamlin community 10 years ago were the following items, reproduced from The Hamlin Herald dated January 31, 1947:

Corporal John Edwards, who has been serving with the Army Air Corps in Germany, is reported to be on his way home. His wife is the former Earline Johnson.

Bill Scott, former Pied Piper basketball star, has been named co-captain of the Hardin-Simmons University Cow-boy basketball team.

Plans were virtually complete this week for the Hamlin Future Farmers of America Livestock Show, to be held at the migratory labor camp in Hamlin February 8. Prizes of \$150 will be given to exhibitors of winning livestock and poultry.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Witt are in Dallas this week to attend the gift show.

R. A. Dean of Texas Tech College, Lubbock, spent Monday and Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. R. S. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Cash celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary Wednesday.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, which are condensed from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 1, 1952:

Bloodmobile of the Red Cross, which is seeking to recoup its reserve of blood plasma for emergencies that may arise during the next several months, will be in Hamlin next Wednesday to take blood donations, announces Mrs. W. H. Gilbert, chairman of the local drive. Hamlin has been assigned a donation quota of 210 pints of blood.

A new church building for the congregation of the Oak Grove Colored Baptist Church is being planned, according to Rev. J. L. Johnson, pastor. Several Hamlin people have pledged their assistance with the new building.

Wesley Nail, business manager of the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, has been elected president of the Hamlin Rotary Club for the new club year beginning July 1.

Work is slated to begin soon on the new post office building, to be erected at the corner of Southwest Third Street and Avenue A by Carmichael brothers.

More than 5,000 poll tax payments had been made Thursday, according to county tax assessor-collector Elzy Bennett, to establish a new high for the county.

ONE YEAR AGO.

From the files of a year ago the following news briefs are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 27, 1956:

Everett William Redd of Hamlin was given five years in the state penitentiary in 104th District Court at Anson Monday after being charged with theft of a cat from W. R. Rushing of Hamlin. He was arrested in California.

New five-yard dump truck recently purchased by the City of Hamlin arrived this week and was immediately put into service.

Rainfall totaling 25 of an inch for the month of January was a poor start for the year, declares Bill Rountree, government gauger. Renewed oil activity in the Hamlin area is promised with binging recently of four new producers in the territory.

Selection of Right Form That Fits Size And Source of Income Helps Filing

The first important decision you have to make when starting the home work involved in filing an income tax return is to resolve this question: Which form should I use?

The answer is this: Use the one that is simplest and fits the kind and size of your income.

The Internal Revenue Service says that it expects more than two-thirds of the 60,000,000 individual tax returns which will be filed this year will come in on the forms known as 1040A and short form 1040.

Form 1040A is the simplest of all. It is of cardboard and about the size of a check. There are lines and spaces to fill in on the front and back. No great detail is required. If your income qualifies you to use this form.

You can just give the revenue service the information asked. Revenue will compute the amount of tax you owe and bill you for more money or send a refund.

This year you have an option which is new. You can fill in the last three lines on the front page of the card and compute your own tax, using the table on the instruction sheet you will receive. If you do this, however, and owe the tax, you must send a check or money order made out to "Internal Revenue Service" along with your return. You cannot wait for the Internal Revenue Service to bill you.

You can use 1040A only if your income fits the following description: Your total income must be less than \$5,000 consisting of salary and wages from which your employer has withheld taxes, and not more than \$100 total of other wages, dividends and interest. This is the limit also for the combined income of husband and wife who may file the return jointly.

You cannot use 1040A if you have other types of income, such as pensions payments. Also, you cannot use it if you want to report sick pay (which can be excluded from your income), or claim other special credits.

However, you can use the card form and also take advantage of special tax treatment of dividend income. The law provides that you do not have to pay the tax on the first \$50 of dividend income from domestic corporations. Therefore, on the card form you simply do not report up to \$50 of your dividend income. You can omit up to \$100 if husband and wife are filing jointly. Each is entitled to a \$50 exclusion applied against his or her separate dividend income. If your income fits 1040A and

you decide to use this card form, then the standard deduction of 10 per cent of your income must be accepted. That much deduction is allowed in the amount of tax figured in the table on the instruction sheet. This flat 10 per cent deduction covers such things as contributions, interest, taxes, medical expenses and the like. If your actual deductions are more than 10 per cent of your income, it will be to your advantage to use form 1040 and itemize them. You cannot do this on 1040A.

Form 1040 is printed on pages about the size of a large letterhead. There are four pages, but only pages one and two will apply to the average taxpayer with income solely from wages and salaries. You will be concerned with pages three and four only if you have other types of income such as dividends, interest, property sales, pensions, royalties, rents and the like.

Some taxpayers will be able to get by on this wage earner's short form using only page one. Others will have to use pages one and two.

You will be able to comply using only page one if you are single with no dependents to claim for exemptions, or if you are married and claim exemptions only for your wife and your children, and if your adjusted gross income is less than \$5,000 in salary or wages. But you must also accept the standard deduction of 10 per cent for personal expenses as on the card form and use the tax table provided on page 16 of the instructions to find your tax.

The "adjusted gross income" on form 1040 is your total income, less business connected expenses and amounts of sick pay which you may exclude from your income. You can do so and also get credit for any over-payment of social security tax and the special tax rates which apply to heads of households, and certain widows and widowers.

There are certain special benefits you can claim on 1040 but may not claim on the card form 1040A. On page two of form 1040, the big form, you will be able to claim other dependents and get credit for them to reduce your income and tax. There is also a section for itemizing your personal deductions. Remember that it pays you to itemize them if they total more than 10 per cent of your income. But you also will have to compute your tax if you itemize your deductions.

At the bottom of page two is a section where you do this. The

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lines refer to a set of computation tables and instructions on page 11 of the form 1040 instructions. These will help to cut down on the amount of arithmetic.

By looking over your own figures and relating them with the various forms, you now should be able to select the right one. This done, you are ready for the decisions which will be the subject of the next article.

Next Week: Classes of returns.

A half price Odds and Ends Cash Sale at The Book Shop Friday, Saturday and Monday, February 1, 2 and 4!

Tree Seedlings for Windbreak Purposes Now Available Again

Seedlings for windbreak purposes are available again this year through the Texas Forest Service, according to Bill Lehmberg, county agent.

Application blanks are available in the county agent's office and orders will be received until March 1. The seedlings will be sent from Norman, Oklahoma. The cost is \$1.50 per 100 trees.

Species available include Arizona cypress, red cedar, Chinese elm, honey locust and Austrian pine.

Trees are available for farm planting and on state, federal, municipal and county land. People living in town are not eligible for these seedlings, Lehmberg explains.

USELESS CONTRIBUTION.

Johnson was attending a lecture with his son, listening to a missionary telling of his experience in Africa. Then a collection plate was passed. Suddenly Johnson's young son said loudly in the quiet: "Daddy, you heard the man say that the natives didn't wear clothes. Why did you put a button in the plate?"

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If your digestive system, septic tank or cesspool is working properly, not causing odors, draining good—you do not need ANAEROBICUL or any other product sold for the aid of digestion.

This is Important! When someone calls at your home and tells you that your tank is almost full, that is correct. It has to be full to be filtering properly, and the most harmful thing you could do would be to have it pumped. Pumping destroys the most valuable part of your tank. Pumping does not clean your lines or eliminate odors, and you pay an enormous price for the harm done.

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28.7 Per Cent of Junior High Students Have Perfect Attendance for Year

Sixty-two students of Hamlin Junior High School last week ended the first half of the school year with perfect attendance records, reports Principal Marvin Carlton.

Grain Sorghums For Hamlin Area Named by Agent

With so many new grain sorghum hybrids available, there is some confusion on which one to plant in this area, according to Bill Lehnberg, Jones County farm agent.

Dr. Lee C. Coffee, agronomist with the Extension Service and experiment station, visited with the agent recently and explained the various hybrids and their region of adaptability.

For Jones County, RS160 and Texas 620 seem to hold the most promise. No. 610 is a medium early hybrid which blooms slightly earlier than Martin. It has good exertion (the head extends well above the top flag leaf), but the head dries more slowly than Martin. The seed are large, medium soft and subject to discoloration during rainy periods. It is a cross between Combine Kaffir and 7078.

Texas 620 blooms about the same time as Martin, is dry headed and has excellent exertion. It produces excellent yields wherever Martin is adapted. It should be harvested promptly when mature. There is some possibility of lodging under bad growing conditions with this variety.

For further information, see your county agent.

With a total enrollment of 216 in the school, 28.7 per cent have not missed a day, he says.

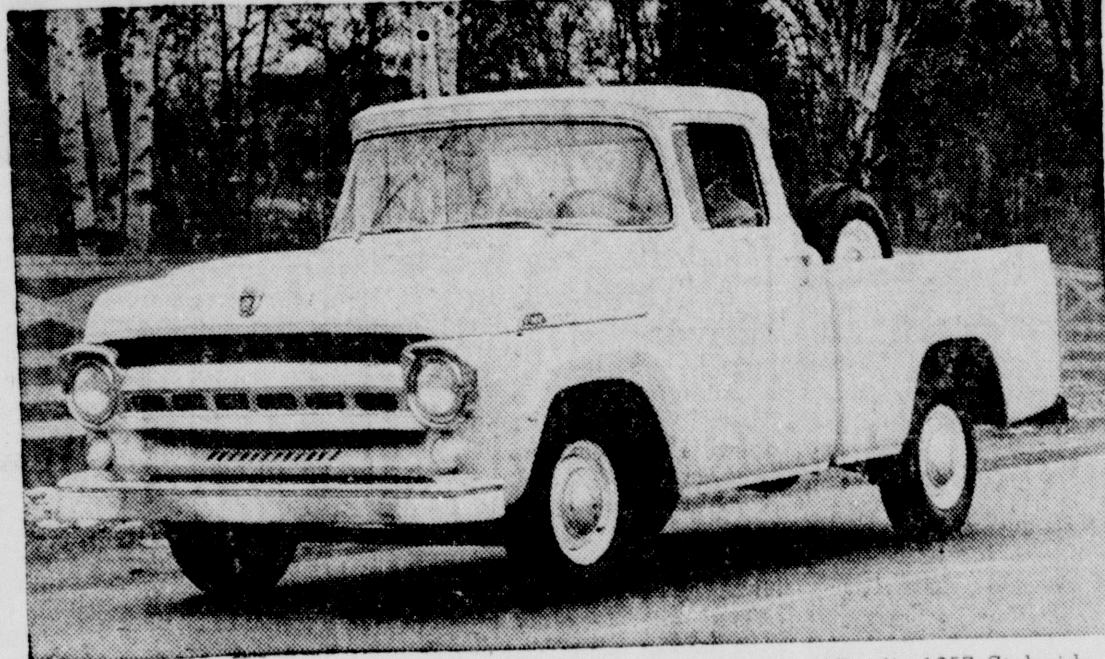
Records by grades for the first half of the school term are given below:

Eighth Grade—With 68 enrolled, 37 per cent have not missed a day. Students with perfect attendance records are: Beth Christian, Milburn Crawford, Ray Johnson Jr., David Kame, Ned Moore Jr., Ann Rabjohn, Charlene Pendley, Jimmy Shivers, Larry Upshaw, David Bonds, Zoan Winegeart, Wayne Boatright, Nell Waldon, Charles Brewer, Clyde Hodnett, Norman Cranford, Winnie Bell Grubb, Nina Jean, Jackie Haight, Billy LaBaume, Henry O'Neal, Robert Rangel and Janice Ueckert.

Seventh Grade—With 78 enrolled, 33 per cent have not missed a day. Students with perfect attendance records are: Mary Smith, Wayne Baize, George Ann Black, Lloyd Branscum, Larry Cheshire, Thelma McClung, Warren Reynolds, Billy Richey, Carol Stinnett, Rayford Williams, Sandra Smith, Darlene Josey, Stanley Austin, Santana Cortezas, Dixie Daniels, Hubert Hall, Annette Hall, Velta Hastings, Mike Kelly, Leona Brinegar, Jeanette Jenkins, Jerry Dan Sappington, William Shelds, Jerry Smith, Raley Smith and Neida Stone.

Sixth Grade—With 70 enrolled, 18 per cent have not missed a day. Students with perfect attendance records are: Tommy Brown, Larry Grimm, Van Newberry, Betty Jane Robertson, Mary Debs Rountree, Marshall Smith, Wynne Bingham, Anthony Woolf, Joyce Bingham, Randy Brown, Penny Ford, Dorothy Gray and Mike Martin.

There are more states east than west of the Mississippi River.



PASSENGER CAR STYLING comes to the trucking business in Ford's 1957 Styleside pickup. It typifies revolutionary changes in the new Ford trucks which Hamlin Motor Company and other Ford dealers display Saturday. Full width styling has more than just eye appeal. It widens the truck's load by 20 inches, and adds 25 per cent more load capacity than old style models offer. This pickup is one of nearly 300 models in the 1957 Ford line which ranges upward to huge extra heavy duty models.

Sunshine Group of Bluebirds Gives Exhibit of Dolls

Members of the second grade group of Bluebirds, known as the Sunshiners, presented a doll show with their mothers as guests. The purpose of the doll show was for the mothers to become better acquainted with each other and with the girls in the group.

Mrs. Richard Young, leader of the Sunshiners, introduced each girl, who gave the name of her doll and told something about the doll and its clothes. Then each mother was introduced. Following the doll show, punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Jack Wicker, assistant leader, to those present.

All of the members of the Sunshiners were present, and are as follows: Lynn Brannon, Joy Bond, D. Cochran, Sherry Cox, Teresa Gabriel, Linda Goodwin, Margaret Ann Johnson, Barbara Keith, Sue Roddy, Janet Kelly, Louise Lujan, Marilyn Monce, Vicki Newland, Jimmie Reid, Suzanne Wicker, Belinda Woods, Jean Young and Pat Feller.

Mothers attending were Mrs. Richard Young, sponsor; Mrs. Jack Wicker, assistant leader; Mrs. Richard Young, leader; and Mmes. W. W. Goodwin, Elmer Roddy, W. F. Lumbley, Bo Newland, Jack Kelly, G. L. Feller, W. T. Johnson, James Woods, Jack Bond, J. D. Cochran and J. T. Cox.

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Cold Weather Drops Attendance Total at City Sunday Schools

Sunday School attendance at the 12 reporting Hamlin churches took a decided tumble Sunday as temperatures held below freezing for the day. The 744 total was 510 below the year ago total and 596 below the year ago total.

Totals, by churches, for January 27, January 20 and a year ago follow:

Churches	Jan. 27	Jan. 20	Year Ago
Assembly of God	27	41	46
Calvary Baptist	37	50	33
United Pentecostal	—	—	—
Church of Christ	96	157	137
Sunset Baptist	33	51	45
Faith Methodist	35	47	50
Foursquare Gospel	30	69	56
First Methodist	107	201	221
Ch. of Nazarene	57	100	100
Mexican Baptist	33	31	49
Oak Gr. Col. Baptist	7	41	25
No. Cen. Baptist	31	74	55
First Baptist	251	392	523
Totals	744	1254	1340

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Rubber bands at The Herald.

Lions See Film on Warning System Being Set in Arctic

Enormity of the emergency warning system of electronic and radar systems in the Arctic and Canadian territories, being installed by Western Electric Company, was envisioned by members of the Hamlin Lions Club when a film on preparations for building of the system was shown at the regular weekly luncheon meeting of the civic club at the oil mill guest house.

The film, provided by Andy Anderson of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company at Hamlin, gave graphic views of the immense supply system necessary to implement the project, which will provide a circle of warning devices for possible attack of this country from enemy planes from the north.

C. V. Herbert, maintenance supervisor at the Celotex Corporation plant at Hamlin, was installed as a new member of the Lions Club. He was installed by B. V. Newberry, deputy district governor and member of the Hamlin club.

Several Lions Club members indicated they would attend a zone meeting of area clubs at Sweetwater on February 12.

Guests at the Tuesday luncheon included Al Riddle of New Orleans, Louisiana, Jim Lain of Abilene, Delma Shelburne of Snyder, Junior Haight and LaFoy Patterson of Hamlin.

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending January 12, 1957, were 23,164 compared with 25,101 for the same week in 1956, reflecting a decline from the year ago figure. Cars received from connections totaled 10,906 compared with 11,466 for the same week in 1956.

Total cars moved were 34,070 compared with 36,567 for the same week in 1956. Santa Fe handled a total of 29,406 cars in the preceding week this year.

Careful Driving Especially Imperative During Winter, Says Safety Official

"Motorists should learn and practice a few simple precautions for driving modern cars safely on winter roads," E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, said this week in commenting on the program to combat winter automobile hazards sponsored by the Texas Safety Association.

"The driver's seat should always be adjusted so that the driver's foot rests fully on the accelerator pedal," McFadden said. "This removes the danger of sudden bursts of power which can cause an automobile to go out of control on icy roads."

He also pointed out that proper seat adjustment gives better control over the clutch and brake pedals.

"Wise motorists should practice smooth driving all year," he said, "so it will be a habit when roads become slippery in winter. They must learn to use power brakes gently, because over-braking is very easy with power brakes, and very hazardous on slippery roads. Skillful steering is another 'must' for safe winter driving, according to McFadden. Drivers should get the feel of the road and

be careful not to over-steer their cars, particularly when driving with power steering. The steering wheel should not be held by the spokes or at the top, but gripped with both hands wide apart on the wheel to insure steady, precise steering.

Winter motorists also were warned to keep their cars in good mechanical condition, and equipped with good tires. A set of reinforced tire chains should be in the trunk, ready for use when needed for dangerous or stalling ice or snow conditions.

"Cars today are easier to drive than they have ever been," McFadden said, "but they require even more alertness and responsibility on the part of motorists if they are to be driven safely, particularly in winter time."

THINKING COMES HIGH

Father (to thoughtful son)—"A penny for your thoughts, Jimmy." Jimmy—"To tell the truth, Pop, I was thinking of a quarter."

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Rev. Judy Chaves to Preach Two Evenings At Full Gospel Church

Rev. Judy Chaves, nationally known evangelist of Long Beach, California, will be the featured speaker in a two-evening series of services at the Full Gospel Church in North Hamlin, according to Rev. J. M. Metcalf, pastor. The services are scheduled next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings at the church, located on the old Rotan road north of the Katy railroad. Crossing may be made on Northwest Avenue D.

Mrs. Chaves has spoken in Hamlin on previous occasions, Metcalf says. He invites the public to attend.

Rev. Metcalf recently came to Hamlin to reorganize the Full Gospel Church, which had ceased to have services for several months.

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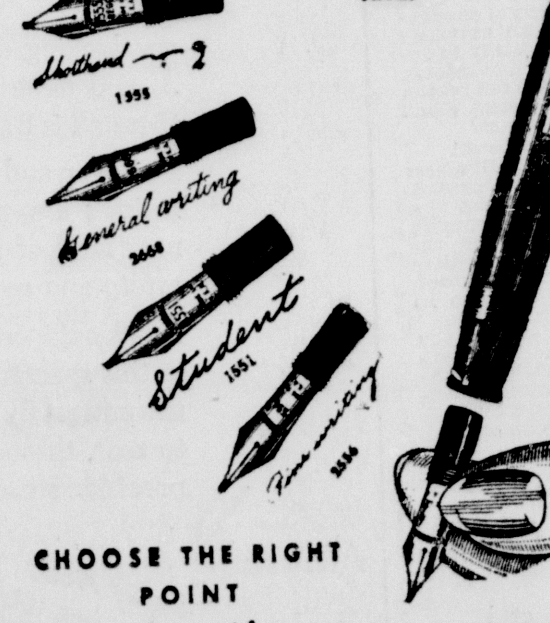
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The Herald's Page for Women



Jane Lesley Orcutt and Max Murrell Married in North Carolina Ceremony

Jane Lesley Orcutt and Maxwell Rogers Murrell pledged their marriage vows Sunday at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon in the May Street Methodist Church in Fayetteville, North Carolina. Rev. Graham S. Eubank, pastor of the church, officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Selwyn Francis Orcutt of Fayetteville, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Murrell of Hamlin.

Prior to the speaking of vows, a program of wedding music was presented by Ernest O. Geddie, organist, and Mrs. John B. Martin Jr., soloist. Geddie played "Noces" by Chopin, "Liberation" by Liszt, "Serenade" by Schubert and the traditional processional and recessional. Mrs. Martin sang "A Wedding Prayer" by Cadman. During the ceremony "To a Wild Rose" by McDowell was played softly, and after the benediction "O Perfect Love" by Barnby was played on the chimes.

Arrangements of seven-branched candelabra with burning white tapers, arrayed against a background of kenta palms, highlighted with baskets of gladiolas and white pom-poms, formed a setting for the nuptial scene. The altar was decorated with a cascade of white pom-poms.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of imported Italian Dupioni silk and Chantilly lace, with covered buttons accenting the princess lines. Lace formed the girl's train. The bodice featured a yoke effect of pearls, reemphasized in seed pearls and ribbed sequins, and the long sleeves were of lace, tapering into points over the hands. Her two-tier, finger-tip veil of silk illusion was attached to a pearl and sequin-studded helmet of Dupioni silk and lace. Her only ornament was a single strand of cultured pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. She carried a cascade of white orchids, interspersed with Stephanotis and white roses.

Elizabeth Wood Huffines was maid-of-honor. She was attired in a princess styled gown of emerald green taffeta featuring a pleated strapless bodice, over which she wore a fitted bolero with three-quarter length sleeves. A wide Nile green taffeta panel flowed from the bodice to the hemline of the full skirt. A small hat of matching taffeta woven in an open work pattern and embroidered in seed pearls completed her ensemble.

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Here is an opportunity for you to pick up a few really good bargains in this one-half price ODDS AND ENDS SALE on Friday, Saturday and Monday, February 1, 2 and 4. (It is a cash sale—no don't say "Charge it" please).

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ble, and she carried a cascade of large yellow mums, interspersed with bronze pom-poms and tied with yellow taffeta ribbon.

The bridesmaids, Ann Thompson Nimocks and Toakies Juanita Tucker of Fayetteville and Mrs. John Maultsby Grantham of St. Pauls, wore dresses of emerald green taffeta fashioned after that of the maid-of-honor, and carried identical bouquets.

Mr. Murrell attended his son as best man. Groomsmen were Robert Selwyn Orcutt, brother of the bride, Robert Oates McCoy of Fayetteville, John Maultsby Grantham of St. Pauls, Lieutenant Alan Irvine Armour and Lieutenant George Riley Rowan, both of Fort Bragg.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Orcutt chose a sheath dress of light blue peau de soie, featuring a draped neckline and short sleeves. With it she wore ice blue and black accessories and a corsage of white orchids.

Mrs. Murrell, mother of the bridegroom, wore candlelight beige silk Chantilly lace over a sheath of pure silk with scalloped neck, sleeves and hemline. She used matching accessories and wore a corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Rudolph John Plenkens, grandmother of the bride, was attired in a dress of blue lace with matching hat and navy accessories, and wore a corsage of white orchids.

The bride is a graduate of Fayetteville High School and attended Woman's College of the University of North Carolina for three years.

Young Murrell graduated from North Dallas High School and Southern Methodist University of Dallas, and is a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. In 1953 he was graduated from the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York, and completed a tour of duty in the Far East before being stationed at Fort Bragg. He is now associated with his father in business in Hamlin.

Reception Given by Parents Following Orcutt-Murrell Rites

Following the Murrell-Orcutt wedding in Fayetteville, North Carolina, Sunday afternoon, the bride's parents entertained at a reception in the main ballroom of the Fort Bragg Officers Club. The room was decorated with white floral decorations and palms, and the mantle was centered with a low arrangement of white pom-poms and gladiolas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Tucker Jr. received the guests in the lobby of the club and directed them to the ballroom, where Mr. and Mrs. Oscar P. Bruce Sr. presented them to the receiving line, which consisted of the bride and groom, the parents of the bride and groom and the bride's attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Lilly invited the guests to the bride's table, which was covered with a pale pink organza cloth and centered with a five-branched silver candelabrum decorated with floral arrangements of pink and white. A three-tier decorated bride's cake topped with a dainty nosegay of sweetheart roses graced one end of the table. A silver punch bowl was used at the other end of the table.

Mrs. Wallace H. Huffines served the bride's cake after the bride and bridegroom cut the first slice. Mrs. William Nimocks and Mrs. J. T. Squires served punch. Assisting in serving were Jean Carroll Sherrill, Jane Campbell Pickett and Patricia Ann McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. William Elbert Godwin Sr. presided over the bride's book, and Mr. and Mrs. William Moffitt Bland said the good-byes.

Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Murrell left for a wedding trip to Acapulco, Mexico. For traveling the bride wore a dress of brown wool tweed, with a brown velvet hat and chocolate brown accessories, and a corsage of orchids lifted from their bridal bouquet. When they return from their wedding trip, they will move into their own home at 437 Northwest Avenue I in Hamlin.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding and reception included Mrs. Rudolph J. Plenkens, grandmother of the bride, of Brooklyn, New York; Barbara Ann Plenkens, cousin of the bride, of Ringwood, New Jersey; and Mrs. Layne W. Turner, aunt of the bridegroom, of Monahans.

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NEWLYWED TO LIVE IN HAMLIN—Mrs. Maxwell Rogers Murrell (above) will be at home with her husband, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murrell, on Northwest Avenue I, following their wedding trip. She is the former Jane Lesley Orcutt of Fayetteville, North Carolina. The young people were married Sunday afternoon in Fayetteville.

Mrs. M. T. York Elected President of Hamlin Woman's Forum for New Year

Mrs. M. T. York, long time resident of Hamlin, and active in club and church activities for many years, was named president of the Hamlin Woman's Forum when members of the group met Tuesday afternoon at the Harden Memorial Library for the regular meeting.

The nominating committee, composed of Mrs. R. D. Moore, Mrs. E. J. Hawkins and Mrs. O. H. Weaver, reported a slate of officers for the coming year as follows: Mrs. M. T. York, president; Mrs. John D. Ferguson, first vice president; Mrs. Dean Witt, second

vice president; Mrs. W. A. Cassle, recording secretary; Mrs. Sol Branscum, treasurer; Mrs. Noel Weaver, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. E. M. Wilson, reporter.

Mrs. Tate May presided in the absence of the president. Mrs. May reported a membership of 75 and the total number of books in the library as 825.

Mrs. A. A. Hackley, chairman of the membership committee, reported that the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club had recently turned in nine new memberships. The Fifty-Two Study Club reported a 100 per cent membership of their club as members of the library.

Mrs. G. L. Feller, librarian, who with her family occupies the Woman's Forum Club apartment, is delighted with the response of Hamlin people to contribute books to the library, but the reading public is not taking advantage of the opportunity to use the library, she reports. Mrs. Feller is an experienced librarian, and the Forum is fortunate to have her services at the Harden Memorial Library, officials declare.

Membership dues are \$1 per year per family.

Next meeting of the Forum will be April 30, which is the next date where five Tuesdays occur in the month.

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County Club Women To Cooperate in Driver Vision Survey

All officers and most of the council members were present when the Jones County Home Demonstration Council met last Wednesday in the county agent's office at Anson.

Attendees introduced themselves and told the clubs they were from. Mrs. Mary Y. Newberry, the county home demonstration agent, gave the council their three main responsibilities. The standing rules were read and adopted. All committees for the new year were appointed.

District meeting will be held April 5 at Vernon, it was announced, so each club must have its candidate at the February council meeting, as delegates will be elected from Jones County. The council will cooperate with the American Optometric Auxiliary in conducting a driver's vision survey, which will be at Anson in March. Jones County is the only county in Texas to have this survey at this time, it was pointed out.

Bride-to-Be of Hamlin Man Honored at Gift Tea in Abilene

Mrs. J. C. Carr of 1702 Jeanette Street in Abilene was host for a gift tea honoring Linda Wagner of Abilene, bride-elect of Jim Holmes of Hamlin, Thursday evening in her home.

Receiving guests were Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Frank Moore, Mrs. M. F. Holmes, the honoree and her grandmother, Mrs. E. T. Walling. Dorothy Wagner, sister of the bride-elect, and Jo Ann Holmes, sister of the prospective bridegroom, displayed the gifts to approximately 50 guests, including a number from the Hamlin area.

Miss Wagner and Holmes will be married at the First Baptist Church in Riverside, California, at 7:00 p. m. on February 8.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"This is my first chance to call you, dear. I've been busy, busy, busy — all day!"

Birthday Party Held Thursday Afternoon For Carolyn McHugh

Carolyn McHugh celebrated her eighth birthday with a party for some of her young friends Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Woodrow McHugh, on North Central Avenue.

Following a series of games by the attendants, the honoree opened and displayed her gifts.

Refreshments of birthday cake and punch were served to Barbara Keith, Carolyn Perry, Pat White, Brenda Lee, Juanita Williams, Jamie Webb, Linda Helms, Nancy McHugh, Paula Helms, Howard Williams, David Wallace, O'Dell Lee, Ronny Guthrie, Allan Guthrie, Tommy McHugh and Eddie McHugh.

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Friendship Clubbers Work on Handcraft And Tube Painting

Members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met last Friday afternoon at the oil mill guest house with 10 members attending.

A round table discussion on Etiquette and Party Suggestions was conducted.

Following the program, members worked on tube painting and handcrafts.

Attendees included Mmes. Ed Branscum, M. S. Johnson, E. G. Young, Grady Smith, Sol Branscum, Noble Greer, Homer Neal, H. E. Brown, John Hix, John Charles Hix and Gean Witt.

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Patty Pattillo Feted On Fourth Birthday At Party Thursday

Patty Pattillo last Thursday afternoon celebrated her fourth birthday by giving a party for some of her young friends at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William A. Pattillo.

Games were played by the youngsters, then the honoree opened her gifts.

Birthday cake and punch were served to Donna and Gary Yeary, Pat White, Jane Hopper, Debbie Carlan, Donnie Croan, David Mullings, Nancy McHugh, Carolyn Perry, Kathy Christian, Barbara Keith, and Wayne, Mary Alice, Joyce and Orvie Fry.

Also helping Patty to celebrate were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richards of Sweetwater. Mothers present were Mmes. D. L. Yeary, Henry White, E. J. Croan, E. B. Hopper, J. H. Fry and D. A. Mullings.

Ruby Jo Alexander To Wed Abilene Man

Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Alexander, of McCauley are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ruby Jo of Abilene, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Owens of Phoenix, Arizona.

The double ring ceremony will be solemnized at 6:30 o'clock the evening of March 9 in the Elliott Chapel of Memories in Abilene.

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State Capitol NEWS

By Vern Sanford,
Manager, Texas Press Association

Austin.—A number of the "Better Government" bills requested of the Legislature by the Texas Press Association have hit the legislative hopper.

Outstanding among those introduced are:

1. A mandatory publications bill, designed to force public officials to print public notices as called for by present statutes. Requiring removal from office of any public official who refuses to publish financial reports called for under existing laws, this bill would eliminate such occurrences as have happened in Duval County in recent years. Introduced by Senator Preston Smith of Lubbock and Representative John Lee of Kermit.

2. A bill to provide for public notice of applications of veterans applying for loans under the veterans' land act. Notices, to appear in the veteran's home town newspaper, would specify name of the veteran, describe the land, and quote the price he will be paying. Senator Charles Herring of Austin and Representative Louis M. Anderson of Midland have introduced companion bills in the Senate and House.

3. Representative Virginia Duff of Ferris and Senator Crawford Martin of Hillsboro have introduced measures which will require publication of annual financial statements by school districts and other official bodies. Again, a measure to help prevent situations similar to that in Duval County.

4. Senator Otis Lock of Lufkin and Representative Howard Green have introduced bills in their respective houses which would make it unlawful to bar newspaper reporters from precinct conventions. Object: To prevent instances when newsmen are unable to report convention facts to their readers because they are refused admission to such political meetings.

5. Meetings of public bodies would be open to the public, including newspapermen, if a bill introduced by Senator Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio and Representative Don Kennard of Fort Worth is passed. This bill will insure the "public's business" being kept public.

6. A measure providing for removal of officials who refuse to testify concerning their duties. By Senator Doyle Willis and Representative Howard Green, both of Fort Worth.

7. Two bills introduced by Representative Jack Welch of Marlin would require insurance companies to publish financial statements annually, and provide a penalty for furnishing false information to the insurance commission.

8. Senator Culp Krueger of El Campo has introduced a measure calling for publication of the full text of ordinances, rather than merely the caption. Publication of captions only, as now allowed by law, frequently does not give the public sufficient information as to what the ordinance contains.

9. Another bill by Representative DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi would require each treasurer receiving or controlling funds of a school district to keep a full account of all funds, and to file an annual report of those funds each school year. Present laws do not provide adequate protection at the local level for such accountings.

Among other items in the still abundant flow of suggested legislation are bills which would:

1. Require voters to register by

parties. By Senator Henry B. Gonzalez of San Antonio.

2. Provide paid investigators to assist grand juries. By Representative John T. Cox of Temple.

3. Refund state taxes on gasoline paid by cities. By Representative Robert W. Baker of Houston.

4. Exempt widows, old age pensioners, injured veterans and others from state property taxes on the first \$5,000 in value. By Representative D. Roy Harrington of Port Arthur.

5. Place liquidation of insurance companies under supervision of Travis County district judges rather than the insurance commission. By Senator Charles Herring of Austin.

6. Make Texas Thanksgiving the same as the federal holiday. By Senator Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo.

7. Re-organize the Industrial Accident Board and increase workers' compensation benefits. By Representatives Kennard and Wade Spilman of McAllen.

8. Provide for annual sessions, boost legislators' salaries to \$7,500 a year and the speaker and lieutenant governor to \$12,500. By Representative Truett Latimer of Abilene.

House and Senate committees now are neck-deep in hearings on the paramount issue of the fifty-fifth session of the Texas Legislature—how much money to appropriate and to whom.

Facing them are these requests:

1. A \$2,000,000,000 appropriation bill submitted by the legislative budget board.

2. A bill to increase public school teachers' basic salaries from \$2,805 to \$3,204. Introduced by Senator A. M. Aikin and Representative James A. Turman.

3. A bill to give state employees a 15 per cent raise on the first \$3,000 of their salaries. By Senator Charles Herring, Representatives Charles Sandahl and Wilson Foreman of Austin. Another bill by the other Travis County member, Representative Obie Jones, asks a 25 per cent raise.

4. A bill to appropriate \$3,000,000 to aid the totally disabled. By Senator William S. Fly of Victoria.

5. A bill to raise judges' salaries from \$9,000 to \$16,000 for district judges, from \$12,000 to \$20,000 for civil appellate judges, from \$17,500 to \$24,000 for Supreme Court and Criminal Appeal judges. By Senator Doyle Willis.

With two previous plans junked, a third recommendation has been made for buying state water storage space in federal reservoirs, fishing and boating tax, and then a water users' tax. Both met strong opposition.

Now Senator George Parkhouse of Dallas, water program leader, has substituted a plan to finance storage buying with a \$100,000,000 bond program. This is separate from another \$100,000,000 bond proposal to aid local governments in financing water conservation.

Butane fuel is not "gas" as far as the state gross receipts tax is concerned, the Supreme Court has ruled. It ordered the comptroller Earlier plans included first, a refund taxes paid by a Rankin butane company. . . . State draft quota for February calls for 695 men, a drop from the January call of 861. A total of 65,094 men registered with Texas draft boards last year, according to State Selective Service headquarters. . . . Governor Daniel has re-appointed William L. McGill as director of Texas civil defense and disaster relief headquarters.

Railroads Remit \$22,207 in County Taxes During 1955

Texas railroads paid \$22,207 in 1955 in taxes to Jones County, according to the Texas Railroad Association. That amount was Jones County's share of the total of \$9,244,570 the railroads paid throughout the state.

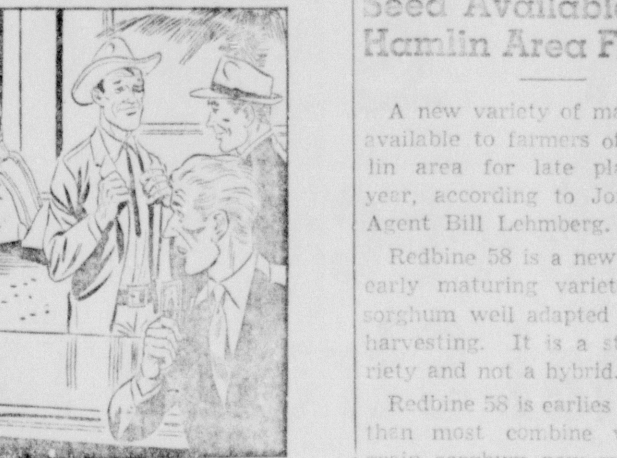
In addition, of course, was the large total in taxes the railroads' more than 50,000 employees contributed on their own property. The vast majority of railroad workers, many of whom live in Jones County, own their own homes.

The largest railroad contribution in Jones County was for the support of education. The school tax for 1955 totaled \$13,754.

City and village taxes amounted to \$3,521, while the share of the county government's operating expenses paid for by the railroads totaled \$2,478. The road and bridge fund gained \$2,303 from the railroads in 1955. All other taxes brought the total for Jones County to \$22,207.

"I am glad to note that nearly half of the taxes paid by the railroads, \$4,161.052, went for the support of Texas schools," said Kenneth McCalla, general counsel for

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"Thirty days!" protested the customer. "Why, the entire world was created in six days."

"True," said the tailor, "and have you taken a good look at it lately?"

the Texas Railroad Association. Now, more than ever, the future of our country and state depends upon the education of our youth. Many of our railroads recognize this fact and, in addition to contributing toward education with tax money, have made numerous scholarships available."

FFA Boys Guests of McCaulley FHA Unit

Members of the Future Farmers of America chapter were present as special guests when the McCaulley High School chapter of the Future Homemakers of America met last Monday evening in the homemaker's cottage.

Wanda Herron, president, called the meeting to order. After old and new business was discussed, a film, "A Diamond Is Forever," was shown.

Pat Griffin, song leader, led the group in a sing-song.

After refreshments were served, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 o'clock.

COMPLICATIONS AHEAD.

"You will soon meet a tall, dark man who will sweep you off your feet," the fortune teller told the eager blonde. "He will shower you with gifts. He's president of a large firm and heir to a \$900,000 estate."

"Gosh," exclaimed the girl. "Now tell me just one thing more."

"What is that, dear?" asked the fortune teller, with visions of many pieces of silver crossing her palm.

"What happens to my husband and the three kids?"

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Many Make Errors in Addition on Returns

Most of us are not surprised when the tax folks tell us one of the most common errors that we make on our tax returns is failing to add and subtract right, points out Tax Man Sam in a release to The Herald. They say that most of us add in favor of ourselves instead of in favor of Uncle Sam.

Most of us would save ourselves time and trouble by checking our tax returns before we mail them, reminds Tax Man Sam. The government has lots of adding machines and they check the tax return carefully and usually send a bill for the mistake.

New Maize Variety Seed Available to Hamlin Area Farmers

A new variety of maize will be available to farmers of the Hamlin area for late planting this year, according to Jones County Agent Bill Lehmberg.

Redbine 58 is a new red seeded early maturing variety of grain sorghum well adapted to combine harvesting. It is a standard variety and not a hybrid.

Redbine 58 is earlier in maturity than most combine varieties of grain sorghum now grown. It is adapted to late planting where early moisture may not be available to get the crop up, and to areas with a short growing season, low rainfall or dry situations where late varieties will not succeed. Redbine 58 blooms in 58 days and is three to four days earlier than Martin or Combine 7078. It is a sure crop under dry land planting in areas of low rainfall or in dry years.

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The Herald's Page of Sports



District Cage Teams Go Into Final Stretch for Crown

Stamford Squad Holds Lead for Five-Team Group

Although the strong Stamford Bulldog basketball crew took a surprising licking at the hands of the Haskell Indians Tuesday night, they continued to command the lead in the District 4-AA cage race. It was the Bulldogs' first loss this season.

The Indians held the long end of a 55 to 53 score after two overtime periods were necessary to decide the winner of the tilt.

Seymour's Panthers are on the heels of the Bulldogs with a four win and two lost record.

Haskell, with a three-three record in district games, has a percentage of .500 and stands in the middle of the five-team heap.

Anson and Hamlin are bringing up the rear. Anson has won two and lost four, while Hamlin has won one and lost five.

The standings, after Tuesday night's games, look like this:

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Stamford	6	5	1	.833
Seymour	6	4	2	.666
Haskell	6	3	3	.500
Anson	6	2	4	.333
Hamlin	6	1	5	.167

Results Tuesday Night

Seymour 69, Anson 41.
Haskell 53, Stamford 53.
ACC High School 72, Hamlin 36.

Junior High Boys' and Girls' Cage Teams Hold .500 Standings

Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams are in the middle of the cage race of the junior conference with averages of .500 per cent. Merkel and Anson boys and Anson girls are leading the standings with perfect 1.000 ratings.

The standings of the five teams in each group follow.

Boys' Standings	Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
	Merkel	3	3	0	1.000
	Anson	3	3	0	1.000
	Hamlin	4	2	2	.500
	Albany	3	0	3	.000
	Rotan	3	0	3	.000

Girls' Standings	Team	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
	Anson	3	3	0	1.000
	Rotan	3	2	1	.750
	Hamlin	4	2	2	.500
	Albany	3	1	2	.250
	Merkel	3	0	3	.000

Results of January 28

Boys—Anson 36, Albany 19; Hamlin 36, Rotan 11; B boys—Albany 18, Anson 12; Hamlin 25, Rotan 0; A girls—Anson 34, Albany 2; Rotan 13, Hamlin 12.

Games Slated February 4

Merkel at Anson; Rotan at Albany; Hamlin, open.

Piperette Cagers Lose Two Games Friday To Merkel Squads

Hamlin High School's A and B girls' basketball teams lost both ends of a double bill to the cagers of Merkel last Thursday night at Merkel. The A girls lost their tilt by a 24 to 51 count, and the B crew dropped their fracas by a 31 to 43 score.

In the A game Sandra Stuart was high pointer for Hamlin with 12 marks, and Eva Wallace, Louise Lakey and Kay Millum had four points each. McAninch was high pointer for Merkel with 25 points.

In the B encounter Lavada Tekshelman led the scoring for Hamlin with 15 points, and Ann Maberry looped 11 marks and Martha Gage made seven. Black was high pointer for Merkel with 14 tallies.

Pied Pipers Lose Two Games to ACC High

Hamlin's A and B cage crews dropped two fast games to the Abilene Christian College High School teams Tuesday night at Abilene. The A crew dropped their tilt by a 36 to 72 count, and the second stringers were defeated 42 to 62.

In the A game Don Adair led the scoring for the Pied Pipers with 12 points. Dee Prewitt made seven marks, and John Richey accounted for six.

In the B game Bill Perryman was high pointer for Hamlin with 10, followed by Bob Martin with nine. Lanier Foster and Charles Jenkins each bucketed eight tallies.

B Team Basketball Tournament Set Next Week-End

Hamlin High School's new gymnasium will be the site next week-end of a B team basketball tournament, it was announced Wednesday by B team coach Truman Nix of HHS.

Teams from eight area schools are scheduled to participate in the tournament. They are from Rotan, Haskell, Merkel, Stamford, Anson, Aspermont, Hamlin and Paint Creek.

First rounds of play will get underway next Thursday afternoon at 5:00 o'clock, four games being played that afternoon and night. Play will be resumed Saturday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock.

Placings of teams in the tournament are scheduled to be made this week, and The Herald will carry a full schedule of the first round play in next week's issue.

Appropriate trophies will be presented to the winner and the consolation winner. All-tournament team members also will be named from the competing teams, Nix announces.

Hamlin Boys Win, Girls Lose Against Rotan Junior Crews

Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams won two and lost one game when they played the Rotan Junior cagers Monday night in games played on the Hamlin court.

The seventh grade boys won the opener by blanking the Rotan seventh graders by a score of 25 to 0. The A boys won over Rotan by a score of 36 to 11. Rotan girls defeated the Hamlin girls by an 18 to 12 count.

Hamlin's A boys divided scoring honors among eight boys, with Cummings scoring eight points, Brundson six points, Bond five points, McCanlies five, Robinson six, and Rangel, Hodnett and Murff with two points each.

The seventh grade boys completely dominated their game by shutting out the Rotan boys. Scoring for Hamlin with four points each were Jerry Duncan, Frankie Lee, Tommy Sewell, Babe Shields and Jimmy Cooper.

Rotan girls won over Hamlin girls by a score of 18 to 12. Pettit of Rotan was the game's leading scorer with nine points. Nina Jean and Myra Siburt each got four points, and Melinda Martin, seeking three points and Suzanne Jenkins making one mark.

Piperettes Lose Tilt To Haskell by 31 to 45

Haskell basketball girls slipped away from the Piperettes of Hamlin High School last Tuesday night in a district game played at Hamlin. The final score was 31 to 45.

The Indian Maids were ahead all during the game, with a 27-point lead at the end of the third quarter. Eva Wallace was high pointer for Hamlin with 14 points, and Louise Lakey had 10 marks. High pointer for Haskell was Janis Jones with 27 points.

Pipers Upset Dope Bucket to Defeat Seymour 51 to 45

Coach Harrell Blackburn's Pied Piper basketball crew upset the dope bucket Friday night when they tripped the fast Seymour Panther crew 51 to 45 in a tilt played on the Hamlin court.

Seymour's B squad eked out a 38 to 33 victory over the second stringers of Hamlin. The Hamlin B crew was held 19 to 16 at the half, but they lagged behind in the last two periods to drop the encounter.

The Pipers held the lead all the way. Don Adair played all over the court to lead the scoring for the locals with 20 points, but he could not keep step with Billy Ryan of the Panthers, who bucketed 31 marks in the game. Bill Murff was second high pointer for the Pipers, looping 15 marks.

The A game box score:

Hamlin A—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Don Adair, f.....	10	0	20
Bill Murff, f.....	3	5	15
Dee Prewitt, c.....	3	2	8
John Richey, g.....	2	2	6
Ed Shields, g.....	1	0	2
Totals.....	21	9	51

Seymour A—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Billy Ryan, f.....	12	7	31
Martin, f.....	2	2	2
Plummer, c.....	1	1	3
Styles, g.....	1	1	2
Moss, g.....	1	0	2
Winn, c.....	2	0	4
Totals.....	17	11	45

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Charles Jenkins was high pointer for the game and the Pipers for 12 points in the B game. Lanier Foster was second high with nine marks. For Seymour Gaylock was high with ten, followed by Rogers who accounted for nine marks.

The B game box score:

Hamlin B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Lanier Foster, f.....	3	3	9
Charles Jenkins, f.....	5	2	12
Bob Martin, c.....	1	0	2
Marcus Fletcher, g.....	3	3	3
Don Rose, g.....	3	1	7
Totals.....	12	9	33

Seymour B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Morris, f.....	2	2	6
Rogers, f.....	3	2	6
Hamilton, g.....	1	2	4
Clark, g.....	0	2	2
Chandler, g.....	3	1	7
Gaylock, f.....	3	4	10
Totals.....	12	14	38

A Girls Play Anson, B Squad in Tourney

Girls' cage teams of Hamlin High School have a busy week-end on tap Friday and Saturday, it is announced by Coach Dora Mitchell.

The A team plays Anson Friday night in what was up to the commission to advise the Legislature, the sanctioning body, as to what financing is required and how to raise the money. Ultimately, it was moved to add a new all-inclusive game license costing \$5.50, covering deer, turkey, antelope and such, to the present \$2.15 license, which would be exclusively for small game such as upland game, ducks, doves, squirrels and the like.

The B team has a tournament slated at Rotan for the week-end. They play Aspermont Friday afternoon at 2:15 in an opening round game.

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SQUEAKY GOES RIDING—Squeaky, a six point white tailed buck, who is the family pet of the Bill Dowdys, positions himself in the back seat of the family automobile as he prepares to go for a ride. Squeaky also enjoys the run of the Dowdy store and grounds near Kerrville.

Major Improvements in Hunting and Fishing Facilities Planned for Texas

Sportsmen of the Hamlin area are interested in recent movement by the Texas Game and Fish Commission to make improvements in hunting and fishing facilities of the state.

The commission this week moved at Austin to simultaneously expedite a new hunting and fishing program and to raise the money needed to finance.

Meeting by coincidence the day after Governor Price Daniel envisioned a vast state recreational undertaking within the Game and Fish Commission framework, the commission advanced proposals designed

To extend present hunting and fishing areas; immediately effectuate major parts of its ambitious long range wildlife restoration plan; completely overhaul the entire license fee structure to raise the needed money.

Some of the costlier projects include state-wide fresh water lake renovation, coastal fish passes as a means of enhancing salt water fishing, broad big game and upland game restocking, and wildlife management area expansion with emphasis on public hunting to harvest surplus game on the areas.

Chairman Herbert J. Frensey of Houston said it was up to the commission to advise the Legislature, the sanctioning body, as to what financing is required and how to raise the money. Ultimately, it was moved to add a new all-inclusive game license costing \$5.50, covering deer, turkey, antelope and such, to the present \$2.15 license, which would be exclusively for small game such as upland game, ducks, doves, squirrels and the like.

After Commissioner W. T. Scarborough of Kenedy pointed out that Texas has the lowest fishing and hunting licenses in the nation and "the greatest number of exemptions," the commission authorized drafting of a new bill with

Hamlin A and B Cagers Drop Two Games to Haskell

Hamlin High School A and B boys' basketball teams dropped encounters to cagers from Haskell when the Indians came over Tuesday night of last week to try out the new HHS gymnasium. The Pied Piper A crew lost their tilt by a 26 to 38 count, and the B string was trimmed by a 31 to 47 count.

In the A game Bob Camp led the scoring for Haskell and the tilt with 12 points, and Rodney Brown looped 10 marks for the Indians. Don Adair was high scorer for the Pipers with 10.

The A game box score:

Hamlin A—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Bill Murff, f.....	0	3	3
Dee Prewitt, c.....	0	3	3
John Richey, g.....	2	0	4
Davey Weaver, g.....	2	2	6
Don Adair, f.....	5	0	10
Totals.....	9	8	26

Haskell A—

David Duncan, f.....	1	0
Robert Starr, f.....	3	2
Rodney Brown, c.....	3	4
Pat Henry, g.....	0	2
John Clifton, g.....	0	0
Chester Jones, f.....	1	1
Bob Camp, f.....	5	2

In the B tilt Lanier Foster was high pointer for Hamlin with 12 marks, and Charles Jenkins was second high with 10.

Box score for Hamlin in the B game follows:

Hamlin B—	Pg.	Ft.	Pts.
Lanier Foster, f.....	5	2	12
Charles Jenkins, f.....	2	6	10
Bob Martin, c.....	1	1	3
Tobe Shields, g.....	0	1	1
Marcus Fletcher, g.....	0	1	1
Total.....	8	11	31

DePriest Boys Play in Big Spring Tourney

DePriest Colored School's rambling Steer basketball crew will go to Big Spring Saturday to participate in the district basketball tournament that will determine the area's entry in the state cage tournament next week-end at Prairie View College.

Coach Roosevelt Jones' boys will be strong contenders for the title as they meet other Central West Texas teams on the court.

Teams are entered in the district tournament from Sweetwater, Colorado City, Ballinger, Colman, Hamlin, Crane, Pecos and McCamey.

DePriest Cagers Lose Two Tilts at Lubbock

Basketball teams from DePriest Colored School last both ends of a double bill last Friday night as they played boys' and girls' teams at Lubbock.

The Steers, coached by Roosevelt Jones, lost their tilt by 50 to 75 count. The girls' lost their game by a 33 to 35 score.

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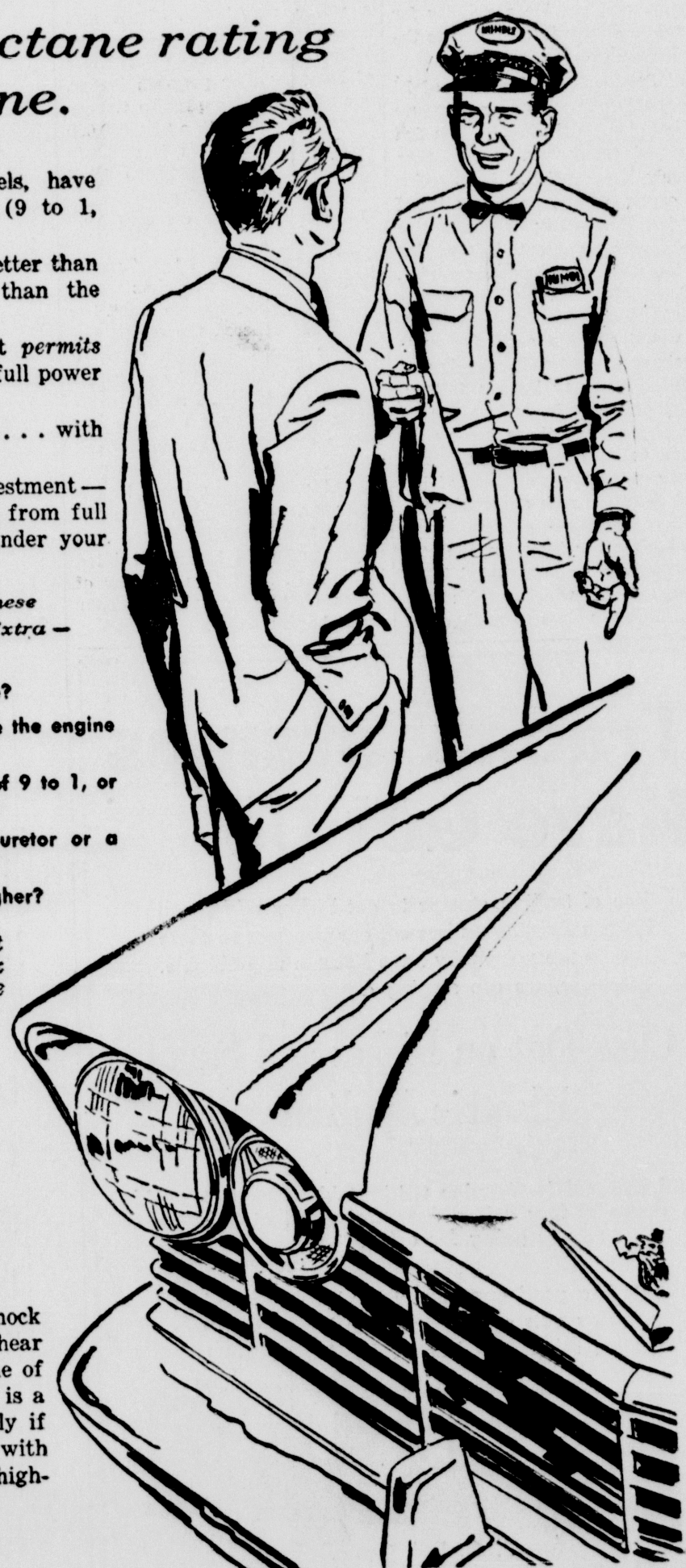
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Freshmen Lead High School Classes Making Third Six-Week Honor Roll

Freshmen led the classes of Hamlin High School making the honor roll for the third six-week period of the school term with 27 on the list. Seniors were second with 25, sophomores third with 23, and the juniors brought up the rear with 19.

The complete honor roll, as released this week by Principal B. V. Newberry, by classes, follows:

Seniors: All As—Ginger Means, Elizabeth Norton and Gene Steele; A average—Cel Albritton, Janis Crowley, Joy Crawford, Georgia McDonnell and Mary Ann Willbanks; B honor roll—Don Adair, Carolyn Barnett, Jimmy Black-

well, Ruby Campbell, Linda Carlton, Joe Cowan, Hazel Crew, Jay Cunningham, Doug Ford, Mary Jo Hubbard, George Huling, Lavada Teichelman, Jerry Jay, Mac Reid, Dee Prewitt, Davey Weaver and Sonny Winegeart.

Juniors: All As—Deloris Carter, Virgil Wilson and Sara Kay Fomby; A average—Pat Brown, Everett Gibson, Joyce Grimm, Billy Murff, Elva Siburt and Joe Stephens; B honor roll—Don Drummond, Bob Haynes, Wynama Hayes, Joyce Hines, Donna Kidd, Donna McGuire, Renee Moore, Emma Payne, Benita Smith and Bette Teague.

Sophomores: All As—Jerry Carlton; A average—Mike Brandon, Jerry Crowley, Eddie Gabriel, Shirley Griffin, Dudley Griggs, Roy Houghton, Libby Johnson, Judy Parker, Ginger Rabjohn and Gloria Rodgers; B honor roll—Wesley Acklin, Boyce Blankinship, Barbara Connally, Wynome Conner, Patricia Branscum, George Jenkins, Linnie Johnson, Louise Lakey, Ted Maser, Bryan Sheldburne, Don Shivers and Teddy Westmoreland.

Freshmen: All As—Arlon Balze, Barbara Cheshire, Cynthia Patterson and Iona Seaton; A average—Patricia Bigham, Durwood Boyd, Victor Criswell, Peggy Dodd, Sam Hodges, Brenda Fincannon, Lana Lancaster, Linda Perry, Ann Rich-ey, Terry Scott, Carol Simpson and Tobe Shields; B honor roll—Tommy Bonds, Geneva Brnagar, Linda Carter, Beth Cochran, Ronnie Dodd, Ronny Fleckenstein, Dwight Griggs, Phyllis Hollis, Carol Nunley, Ken Prewitt and Steve Stephens.

Stamford Guard Unit Gets Excellent Rating

Company M, Stamford National Guard unit of the 142nd Infantry, will be awarded a silver certificate for rating excellent on the annual inspection held October 4.

Fourteen men of the Hamlin area are members of the Stamford unit, of which First Lieutenant Joe Ford of Hamlin is 81st mortar platoon leader.

Report from the inspection has been received and the certificate will be presented at a later date. Battalion Commander Lieutenant Colonel Ralph Kreiger of Abilene will make the presentation.

The company has a strength of some 80 enlisted men and has places for several others, says Captain James Lindsey, commanding officer.

Washington's estate at Mount Vernon comprised 2,700 acres.



TOP EXECUTIVES—Texas Governor-elect Price Daniel (left) and Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey have an informal chat in Austin as they attended a coffee given by the Texas Bar Association. Daniel, resigning U. S. senator, and Ramsey, re-elected, took their offices following the inaugural ceremonies in Austin last week.

PROOF OF A SORT.

A lady riding on a bus turned to her friend and said, "I forgot to pay my fare when I got on."

"Save your money," said her friend. "The bus driver didn't notice you."

"No, I found that honesty always pays," said the first lady, and went up to pay the driver.

"See, I told you that honesty always pays," she said when she returned. "I handed the bus driver a quarter and he gave me change for a half dollar."

Longest Korean truce negotiation talks lasted two years and 17 days, with 575 meetings.

GOOD BULL CARE PAYS.

Conditioning or range bulls before they are turned into the breeding herd is an important factor in securing a high percentage of calf crop, according to California Extension Farm Advisor Roy V. Parker. He adds, "If bulls have been grazing on dry range all summer and are not in good flesh, they should be supplemented with a protein supplement such as cottonseed meal and fed a liberal amount of alfalfa hay."

Another frightening thought about a war with H-bombs: It would kill even more people than have been run down in traffic.

Rainfall Deficiency in State Last Year Ranged from 5.38 to 23.10 Inches

Rainfall for the Hamlin area, as recorded by the government rain gauge operated by Bill Rountree at the city water pump station, last year totaled 8.86 inches, which was 10.40 inches less than the 15-year average of 19.26-inch for the local records.

This deficiency from normal, however, was not as great as for the state as a whole, according to a comparison made last week-end by The Herald with records supplied by the U. S. Weather Bureau at Austin.

No rain fell over the entire state during the first half of the month of December except for some one-inch rains at a few upper coastal stations on the 14th and 15th of December.

A change in weather, according to the monthly survey just completed by the state climatologist of the U. S. Weather Bureau at Austin, brought general soaking rains to the eastern two-thirds of the state on December 18. Rains of one inch or more were reported in the area northeast of a line through Corpus Christi, San Antonio, Abilene and Wichita Falls. Heaviest amounts fell in the coastal plains from Palacios (8.93 inches) to Beaumont (8.46 inches) and as far inland as Austin. No effective rains fell during the rest of the month.

Precipitation recorded at U. S. Weather Bureau first order stations is shown in the following table:

Station—	Dec. Rain	Month Normal	Diff.	Total thru	
				Dec. 31, 1956	Dec. 31, 1956
Abilene	.98	1.37	-.39	9.78	-12.81
Amarillo	Trace	.67	-.67	9.94	-11.21
Austin	2.76	2.71	.05	15.41	-19.86
Brownsville	.05	2.16	-2.11	16.74	-12.85
Corpus Christi	.90	2.27	-1.37	21.73	-6.33
Dallas	2.34	2.62	-.28	21.75	-12.76
Del Rio	.07	.88	-.81	4.34	-14.28
El Paso	.64	.49	.15	5.44	-2.40
Fort Worth	2.08	2.48	-.40	18.55	-15.23
Galveston	6.15	4.26	1.89	22.19	-23.10
Houston	5.11	4.63	.48	31.67	-13.79
Laredo	.26	1.44	-1.18	9.95	-9.58
Lubbock	.30	.66	-.36	10.83	-8.08
Midland	.27	.75	-.48	9.62	-6.61
Port Arthur	12.47	5.47	7.00	43.15	-12.20
San Angelo	.49	1.13	-.64	7.41	-12.45
San Antonio	1.10	1.92	-.82	14.31	-13.67
Victoria	2.30	3.07	-.77	17.95	-17.79
Waco	1.94	2.74	-.80	15.15	-17.90
Wichita Falls	1.50	1.47	.03	15.51	-17.90
Lake Charles, La.	10.43	5.76	4.67	39.37	-18.45
Shreveport, La.	1.54	4.83	-3.29	34.01	-11.22

NEW SOMETHING.

Teacher—"Tell us all you know about nitrites."

Student—"I don't know much about them except they're cheaper than day rates."

Jesse M. Kelly, Brother of Hamlin Men, Dies in Crash

Jesse Marion Kelly, 43-year-old oil field unit operator who made his home in Hamlin, and brother of two Hamlin men, was killed Monday afternoon about 2:10 o'clock when his automobile was in collision with a state highway department truck 15.4 miles west of Albany on U. S. Highway 180.

Investigating officers said Kelly was killed when his 1956 Chevrolet rounded a slight curve and ran off the shoulder, then whipped the auto back across the road into the highway department truck.

An occupant of the truck, Floyd Burge, 44, of Albany, sustained several broken ribs and a possible broken collar bone.

Kelly was alone in his auto.

Kelly was born at Covington, Hill County, on October 10, 1913. He had lived in Hamlin since 1929. He married the former Thelma Stephenson at Hamlin in 1947. He was a member of the Methodist Church and the Masonic Lodge.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Hamlin First Methodist Church. Officiating was the pastor, Rev. Darris L. Egger, assisted by Rev. Orion Lewis of Georgetown, Rev. Henry C. Adair and Rev. Carl Poole of Hamlin.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were J. W. Frazier, Calvin Luttrell, James Brandon, Holly Toler, Cecil Brown and Elbert Payne.

Survivors include the mother, Mrs. Florence Calvert of Snyder; the widow, Mrs. Thelma Kelly of Hamlin; one son, Tony Lynn of Hamlin; a daughter, LaQuita Joy of Hamlin; and two brothers, Roy Kelly of Hamlin and Horace Kelly of Snyder.

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HEART FUND LEADER—Dr. E. N. Jones, president of Texas Technological College at Lubbock (above), will serve as chairman of the Texas Heart Fund for 1957. Annual campaign of the Texas Heart Association for the nation's No. 1 killer-disease will be conducted during the month of February.

Tech President Heads Drive for Heart Fund

Announcement of the acceptance by Dr. E. N. Jones, president of Texas Technological College at Lubbock, as chairman of the Texas Heart Fund for 1957 was made by Howard Walker of Lubbock, chairman of the board, and Dr. D. D. Warren of Waco, president of the Texas Heart Association.

In accepting the chairmanship of the 1957 Texas Heart Fund, Dr. Jones pointed out that "diseases of the heart and circulation constitute the leading health problem of our times, and must be fought with every resource at our command."

Annual drive for funds will be conducted during February.

GOOD DEMONSTRATION.

Son—"Father, what is fact?"

Father—"That, my boy, is what prevents a gray haired man from reminding a youthful looking woman with a complexion like a rose that they were school chums together."

Notice of Election on Road Bonds

The State of Texas, County of Jones:

To the resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

Take notice that an election will be held in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, on the 26th day of February, 1957, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners Court on the 25th day of January, 1957, which is as follows:

AN ORDER

Calling an election on the proposition of the issuance of \$60,000.00 of bonds by Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas.

Whereas, there has been presented to this Court the petition of J. S. Inzer and more than 50 other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, on the question of the issuance of \$60,000.00 of road bonds, which said petition was heretofore filed in this Court; and

Whereas, heretofore on the 9th day of January, 1957, the Commissioners Court passed an order fixing a time and place for a hearing on said petition, to-wit: January 23, 1957, and directed the county clerk to issue a notice of such time and place of hearing to inform all persons concerned of their rights to appear at such hearing and to contend for or protest against the order of such election; and

Whereas, the county clerk has heretofore duly executed said notice by posting true copies of said order of hearing in three public places within said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and another copy thereof at the courthouse door of said county for 10 days prior to the date fixed for the hearing, and said notice has also been published in newspapers of general circulation in said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, namely The Hamlin Herald one time on the 17th day of January, 1957, and The Stamford American, one time on the 17th day of January, 1957, being at least five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing; and

Whereas, this Court, having met at the time and place set for the hearing of said petition, proceeded to hear said petition and all matters in respect to the proposed bond election, to hear the contentions for and protest against the calling of such election, and it is found by the Court that the said petition is signed by at least fifty (50) of the qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and that the notice required by law to be given of said hearing has been given; and

Whereas, pursuant to the hearing held on said date and from the evidence submitted at said hearing, the Court has determined that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in such Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Jones County in the amount of \$60,000.00 for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, including particularly the purchase of right-of-way, and that said election should be ordered; and

Whereas, the Commissioners Court further finds that the amount of said proposed bond issue, together with all outstanding bonds heretofore issued on the faith and credit of Road District No. 1 of Jones County will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said district; and

Whereas, said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, has heretofore been legally created by order of the Commissioners Court duly entered on the 1st day of April, 1924;

Therefore, be it ordered by the Commissioners Court of Jones County, Texas:

1. That an election be held in said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, on the 26th day of February, 1957, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine:

Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$60,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, and maturing at such

time as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court, actually or otherwise, in not to exceed fifteen (15) years from the date thereof for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, including particularly the purchase of right-of-way, and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said Road District sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturities."

2. The metes and bounds of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, are set forth in the order fixing the time and place of hearing on the petition for the issuance of bonds which was passed on the 9th day of January, 1957.

3. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the 39th Legislature, in the first called session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature.

4. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this state and of this district who own taxable property in the district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote, and all such electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

5. That said election shall be held at each of the following voting places within Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas:

In Voting Precinct No. 17 at the Schoolhouse, Lueders, Texas, with the following officials: C. A. Thornton, presiding judge; Mrs. S. W. Seamon, assistant judge; Mrs. E. D. Purcell, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 29 at the Lutheran Church House, Swenson, Texas, with the following officials: Lambert W. Stenholm, presiding judge; A. L. Lundgren, assistant judge; C. H. Peterson, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 9 at the City Hall, Hamlin, Texas (East Hamlin box), with the following officials: Tom Routh, presiding judge; E. L. Jenkins, assistant judge; Mrs. Burns Eakin, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 19 at the City Hall, Hamlin, Texas (West Hamlin box), with the following officials: Tom Routh, presiding judge; E. L. Jenkins, assistant judge; Mrs. Burns Eakin, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 3 at the First Methodist Church, Hamlin, Texas (West Hamlin box), with the following officials: Miss Lennie Greenway, presiding judge; L. H. McBride, assistant judge; J. E. Patterson, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 11 at the Schoolhouse, Avoca, Texas, with the following officials: H. E. Culwell, presiding judge; Mrs. M. J. Sublett, assistant judge; Mrs. L. W. Larson, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 25 at the High School Gymnasium, Stamford, Texas (East Stamford box), with the following officials: R. R. Keller, presiding judge; George Zachary, assistant judge; Mrs. Mattie Haynes, clerk.

In Voting Precinct No. 10 at the City Hall, Stamford, Texas (West Stamford box), with the following officials: Mrs. Dave Walker, presiding judge; Mrs. Jack Jones, assistant judge; Mrs. J. L. Woodson, clerk.

6. The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the general laws of this state regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, acts of the first called session of the 39th Legislature heretofore cited.

7. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper of general circulation in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, for three successive weeks before the date of said election, and in addition thereto, there shall be posted copies of this order at three public places in said district, and one at the courthouse door of the county for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

8. The county clerk is hereby ordered and directed to post said notices and to cause same to be published as hereinabove directed. Further orders by this Court are reserved until the returns of said election executed by the duly authorized election officers are received by this Court.

Passed and approved this 25th day of January, 1957.—H. G. Andrews, Jr., County Judge, Jones County, Texas. Attest: Gene Spurgin, County Clerk and Ex Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court, Jones County, Texas.

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Numbers of Livestock on Market Dros But Prices Generally Hold Up Well

Numbers of livestock at Fort Worth dropped sharply below a week ago due to icy weather over much of the territory, and prices Monday reflected strength through most of the grades and classes of livestock offered, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter of The Herald, in his weekly release, which continues:

Fed steers and yearlings were strong to 50 cents higher, and slaughter calves ruled strong to 25 or 50 cents up. Stockers were very scarce, and strong. Cows and bulls ruled full ysteady.

Fed steers and yearlings of good and choice grades cashed at \$17 to \$20, and fed heifers ranged from \$19 downward. Medium and lower grades sold from \$12 to \$16. Fat cows drew \$11.50 to \$13.50 and canners and cutters cashed at \$8 to \$11.50. Bulls were reported from \$10 to \$15.

Good and choice fat calves cashed at \$15 to \$19; and medium and lower grades scored \$10 to \$15. Stocker steers were quotable from \$20 down, and steer yearlings around \$18 down.

Good and choice woolled fat lambs sold from \$18 to \$19.25, and a few club lambs sifted from the stock topped at \$19.50 at Fort Worth Monday. Shorn lambs of choice grades and with No. 1 skin sold from \$18.50 down, and No. 2 skin lambs sold from \$17.50 down. Cull to medium lambs sold from \$12 to \$16.50.

Stocker and feeder lambs of good and choice grades cashed at \$16.50 to \$17.50, feeders at \$17.50 having No. 1 pelts. Full woolled feeders were considered quotable to \$18. Old ewes sold from \$6 to \$8. Old bucks sold from \$5 to \$6. Old wethers were quoted from \$10 to \$12, and yearlings and two-year-old muttons were quotable around \$14 to \$16.

Hogs at Fort Worth last week went through the wildest gyrations in months by advancing \$1 or more per 100 through mid-week, and then losing the advance in the closing days of the week to sell in a "spread" of around \$1 to \$1.50.

This wide swing followed several weeks of extremely narrow changes in the hog prices from day to day. On Monday at Fort Worth there was some indication that more activity was due in this sector as butcher hogs climbed 50 cents above the previous week's close, but sows were barely steady. Choice butcher hogs opened at \$19.25 and \$19.50, and less desirable

able kinds sold from \$16 to \$18. Sows drew \$15.50 to \$16.50.

Preliminary draft of the proposed bill to bring livestock markets under control of the Livestock Sanitary Commission of Texas, as well as to set up a sales tax on livestock sold in the state, was displayed at Fort Worth late last week.

The projected new legislation, still not in final form, lifts the tax on cattle to 10 cents per head. Calves over two months old also would be taxed 10 cents per head, and "veal calves" under two months old would pay two cents per head. Horses were to be taxed 20 cents per head and swine three cents. Sheep or goats would face a levy of one cent.

Under the provisions of the proposed bill, as shown, the previously advocated 10 cents per ton tax on feed would be discarded, with this development apparently stemming from the practically universal opposition presented in recent hearings concerning the feed tax in Austin.

This factor is credited with creating the suggested higher tax on cattle and most calves. Earlier Commission Chairman Frank Scofield had suggested five cents per head check-off on cattle, sold either in terminal markets or through auction rings, the money to help finance the Livestock Sanitary Commission's operations.

Scofield was due to address the annual meeting of the Texas Livestock Auction and Commission Sales Association in Waco last week, but bad weather prevented his appearance. At this meeting the proposed bill was discussed briefly by this writer, and the apparently discriminatory features were pointed up. Best available figures reveal that, if applied in its present form, 50 per cent of the livestock sold in Texas would escape paying their share.

Presently 245 of Texas' 254 counties are under drought disaster relief, and considerable opposition to a special tax on stockmen hit by the worst natural disaster ever to strike the state has been heard here.

The proposed bill is not alone an animal health measure, but would set the commission up as the regulatory body on scales and weighing of livestock, as well as policing market practices, bonds, and trade rules, a much wider field than the agency had ever covered before.

Drive safely! Many tombstones are carved by traffic chisellers.



INTENT LISTENER—George Parr (left) is an intent listener at his trial in New Braunfels, where he is charged with theft of furs from the Benavides School District. With Parr is Luther F. Jones Jr. of Corpus Christi, one of his attorneys.

Celotex Official Sees Fair Volume of Building and Repairs During 1937

The Celotex Corporation in the fiscal year ended October 31, 1936, had sales of \$76,467,119, a new high for the fourth consecutive year, O. S. Mansell, president, told stockholders in the company's annual report released last week at Chicago.

Earnings were \$3,902,284, after all charges and provisions for taxes on income, an increase of 16 per cent over earnings for the year before of \$3,081,643.

After preferred dividend requirements, 1936 earnings were equal to \$6.42 a share on 878,651 shares of common stock outstanding at year end, compared with \$5.49 a share the preceding year on the same number of shares.

"It is possible that the volume of new housing, which declined substantially in 1936, may suffer further declines due principally to the tightening of loan conditions by its institutional and private lenders on new homes," Mansell said. "Also a factor is the unavailability of sufficient buyers of FHA and VA loan paper at the maximum rate of return now permitted for such loans."

The Celotex president further stated: "Continually increasing productive capacity in our industry, planned to keep pace with the economy, coinciding with the lowered housing volume, has resulted, since early last fall in more materials being available than those required to meet current demands. This situation creates stiffer competitive conditions and the need for even greater emphasis on service to customers."

Mansell said the company expects the following in 1937: A reasonably good volume of new housing; a continued high volume of new commercial and institutional

construction; a strong demand for materials used in repair and remodeling activities, which, for the most part, are not dependent on long term financing; an increasing use of Celotex products for non-construction purposes; and increased demand for acoustical materials. He added, "we are entering the new year in a strong competitive position which should enable us to get our full share of the market. Nevertheless, under prevailing conditions, we are faced with the prospect of a reduced volume of sales and earnings."

Hamlin Young Men Get Degrees at UT

Two Hamlin young men are among University of Texas students who will receive degrees on January 30. No public graduation exercises will be conducted, it is announced, for the mid-term graduates.

Ben Wesley Niedeecken Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Niedeecken of Hamlin, will receive a degree in law. Joe Carroll Foster will receive a degree in mechanical engineering.

WANTED SPECIAL CARD.

A little boy had been pawing over a stationer's stock of greeting cards for a long time when a clerk asked him:

"Can I help you find what you are looking for, son? Birthday card? Get-well card?"

"You got anything in the line of blank report cards?" the boy asked wistfully.

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Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Martha Alice Lovell, surgery, January 20; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, medical, January 19; Sara Kay Fomby, medical, January 21; Kathy Suggs of Aspermont, surgery, January 21; Mrs. Lewis Wright of Roscoe, surgery, January 21; Debra Blanton, surgery, January 21; Mary Margaret Maberry, medical, January 21; Arlene Forbes of Longworth, medical, January 22; Mrs. Douglas Woolf, surgery, January 21; Nola Davis, medical, January 22; Mrs. Andy Bundas, medical, January 21; Mrs. J. M. Allen of Aspermont, medical, January 21; Lee Smart of McCaulley, medical, January 21; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, medical, January 23; E. W. Gregg, medical, January 22; Sheila Stone, surgery, January 24; Mrs. U. L. Lee, ob., January 23; George Watson of Aspermont, medical, January 24; Leo Parker, medical, January 24; Floyd Winslett, medical, January 26; Mrs. E. A. Money, surgery, January 25; Mrs. Olen Sego of Aspermont, medical, January 25; Anna Mae Childress, medical, January 26.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. T. A. Jean, January 15; Mrs. Roy Gallo-way of Aspermont, January 21; Gwen Sanderlin, January 20; Ran-George Raney, January 21; Dedy Trammell of Aspermont, January 18; Mrs. W. D. Bristow, January 24; Mrs. Joe Stephens, January 21; Mrs. J. T. Mehaffey of McCaulley, January 21; Mrs. B. M. Robinson of McCaulley, January 21; Mrs. R. T. Woodrow, January 20; Mrs. M. S. Payne of Aspermont, January 26; J. C. Peters of Roby, January 20; S. P. Houghton, January 19; Mrs. Billy Joe Jordan, January 26; Mrs. J. E. Crow Jr., January 24; Mrs. Famin Lujan, January 21; Martha Alice Lovell, January 26; Mrs. A. M. Burleson, January 20; Mrs. Lewis Wright of Roscoe, January 22; Debra Blanton, January 23; Mary Margaret Maberry, January 25; Mrs. Douglas Woolf, January 25; Mrs. Andy Bundas, January 25; Mrs. J. M. Allen of Aspermont, January 22; Mrs. Thomas Ferguson, January 25.

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William Pilgrim Killed in Tuesday Crash at Midland

Funeral services for William Pilgrim Jr., 33-year-old employee of an Abilene bakery, and former resident of Hamlin, were conducted Thursday afternoon at Abilene.

Pilgrim was killed last Tuesday morning when his delivery truck hit a small bridge and crashed into a draw a mile east of Midland. He was making his regular run for Sunshine Biscuits Inc. of Abilene when the accident occurred about 6:40 a. m. His run extended from Abilene to Midland.

Pilgrim had lived in Hamlin for 10 years, going there from Hamlin. He had been employed by the bakery firm since last July.

Born April 24, 1924, at Floydada, he had lived at Hamlin with his parents. During World War II he was stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

He married the former Vaudeine Dunn of Hamlin at Anson in 1942. They and their two sons, Roy, 12, and Ernie, eight, lived at 625 Locust Street.

Survivors include his wife and sons; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pilgrim Sr. of Hamlin; four sisters, Mrs. J. D. Beeson of Spearman, Mrs. A. T. Woodson and Mrs. Sunshine Howard, both of Houston, and Mrs. Marie Sneed of Hale Center; and a brother, Bob, who is with the Army Air Force overseas.

Actual Work to Start On Hospital Soon

Actual work on the new \$60,000 addition to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital is due to be started this week-end or early next week, it was announced Wednesday by W. L. Fletcher, president of the hospital association.

The new addition, picture of which will be printed in next week's Herald, will be a 148x37-foot east wing to the present \$115,000 hospital plant. Facing east, it will provide a new entrance to the hospital, and house doctors' offices and clinical laboratories and equipment.

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Nianda Polio Party Raises \$32 for MOD

Women of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club staged a polio party last Friday night at the Nianda community center.

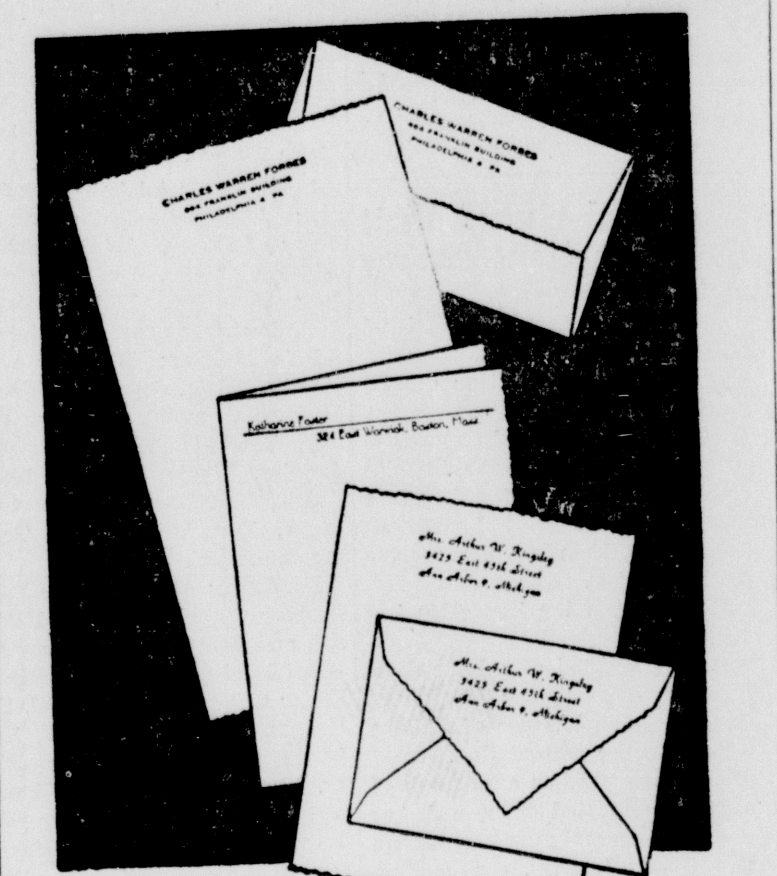
Games were staged, and contributions at the close of the game session totaled \$32, which were given to the March of Dimes.

TIME TO CHEER.

"Who are those people who are cheering?" asked the recruit as the soldiers marched to the train. "Those," replied the veteran, "are the people who are not going."

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